

# PEACE SUGGESTIONS ON BASIS OF DESTRUCTION OF PRUSSIAN MILITARY POWER WILL BE ANSWERED WITH "THE GERMAN SWORD"

## CHANCELLOR SAYS TEUTONS WILL NOT BE STARVED

Berlin, April 5.—(Wireless to Sayville)—Imperial Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg today in his speech in the Reichstag today that any suggestions of peace on the basis of destruction of Prussian military power would make possible only one answer—The German sword.

The Chancellor stated that if Germany's adversaries desired to continue the slaughter of men and devastation of Europe, the guilt would be theirs and that Germany would have to stand it as men.

The Chancellor began his address with a review of the military situation. He stated that since his last speech in the Reichstag the Dardanelles enterprise had ended as a failure, that the Serbian campaign with the assistance of Austria-Hungary and Bulgaria had been brought to a victorious conclusion and that Montenegro likewise was now in the hands of the German allies. That the British attempt to relieve Kut-el-Amara in Mesopotamia had been in vain; that the Russians, although they had succeeded in occupying Erzerum with superior forces, had found their advance checked by strong Turkish forces; that Russian attacks against the front in East Galicia and Italian attacks against the Isonzo positions had been beaten back. Moreover, he said, the Russians had driven columns against the German lines, but their assaults had broken down before Field Marshal Von Hindenburg and his heroes.

The Chancellor then expressed the nation's thanks to the soldiers and their leaders.

Discussing attempts which he said were being made to starve Germany, Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg continued:

"I understood that in 1915 our people would not give up this hope, but I do not understand how our heads, after the experience of 1915, can cling to it. Our people forget that, thanks to the

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The Young Lady Across the Way



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## AGGRESSION AGAINST U. S. BY GERMANY IS STRONGLY DENIED

Berlin, April 5.—(By wireless to Sayville)—Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg protested vigorously in the Reichstag today against the report that Germany now or in the future contemplated aggression against the United States. The Chancellor said: "The latest offspring of the calumnious campaign directed against us is a report that we, after the end of this war, shall rush against the American continent and that we shall attempt to conquer Canada."

"This is the silliest of all the imputations invented against us. Equally silly are the reports that we contemplate the acquisition of any territory on American soil as in Brazil or in any American country whatsoever."

"We fight for our existence and for our future. For Germany and not for space in a foreign country, are Germany's sons bleeding and dying."

## DUTCH RESIDENTS WERE SURPRISED AS HOLLAND ATTACK SUDDENLY BARES TEETH

London, April 5.—"Holland bared its teeth to the belligerents on both sides so unexpectedly that the Dutch public was as much astonished as the remainder of the world," said a prominent neutral, just returned from Amsterdam, to the Associated Press today. This person who enjoys exceptional opportunities of obtaining reliable information stated that not only was the Dutch army mobilized but actual maneuvers were held as if to repel forces landing from the North Sea in the neighborhood of Flushing.

The mobilization was accomplished swiftly. Virtually every private motor car in the country was seized. While mobilization took place along the German frontier, maneuvers were held also along the sea coast. To add to the excitement, the Germans marched men and guns along the Belgo-Dutch frontier, near Antwerp as if in preparation to repel an invasion from that direction.

The returned neutral is convinced the demonstration was aimed at Germany as much as England. He stated irritation in Holland against all belligerents had become so pronounced that there is a sullen feeling of hostility toward both Germany and Great Britain, which was becoming general throughout the country.

On account of the British blockade, Holland is experiencing shortage of food to such an extent that an American commission for relief of Belgium has been asked to loan some of its food supplies to certain districts.

## PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE

The Hague, April 4.—(Via London, April 5).—At the opening of the second chamber of the Dutch parliament today, after a preliminary secret session in committee, the president of the chamber read a brief statement, declaring that the recent suspension of furloughs of army officers and men was a precautionary measure, as Holland is firmly resolved to maintain her neutrality, but there is a possibility of its incurring increased danger and the course of the war.

## LOADED WITH GRAIN

New Orleans, April 5.—The steamship Housatonic of the Housatonic Steamship Company, New York, loaded with grain and rye, the American flag, was on her way from this port today for Savona, Italy. The cargo is said to be the first of its kind ever taken from New Orleans under the American flag.

## WILL HOLD REUNION

Columbus, O., April 5.—Civil war veterans will hold an informal reunion in Columbus April 27, when the old battle flags are removed from the relic room to the capital rotunda. Joseph Bishop, registrar of old soldiers in the Adjutant General's office, announced today. He urged all announced to the G. A. R. to send as many members as possible.

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In evident determination not to permit the Germans to retain the ground they won recently in the Vaux-Douaumont region, north-east of Verdun the forces are continuing their violent attacks there. Paris today reports that ground was gained north of Gaillette wood in several engagements fought last night.

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## WILL NEVER BE TAKEN

Paris, April 5.—"Verdun will never be taken. That is the sincere and positive opinion of General Cadorna," said a member of the Italian generalissimo's suite.

"Cadorna," he continued, "returns to Italy from his visit to France full of enthusiasm for France for what she has done, for what she is now doing."

"What we saw on the French front is simply magnificent. France and Great Britain have heaped up all along the line innumerable depots, so many men and such a quantity of guns and munitions, that nothing that the Germans could do, it seemed to us, could possibly catch the Franco-British higher command unprepared."

## SENT TO THE DEPTHS

London, April 5.—The Spanish steamship Vigo, of 1,137 gross tons, was sunk in the Bay of Biscay by a German submarine, according to a Lloyd's report. The crew was set adrift in a boat and later picked up by the British steamship Polo and taken to Gibraltar. The British steamer Bendow was also sunk with the loss of one of the crew.

The Hague, Via London, April 5.—The Dutch schooner Elmsa Helfa was torpedoed yesterday in the North Sea. The crew has been brought to Noorhinder.

Paris, April 5.—In yesterday's fighting around Verdun the Germans lost considerable ground and again suffered heavy casualties notwithstanding the new formation of their attacking parties.

At 3 p. m. after the ground had been battered by several hundred tons of projectiles, a thin line of riflemen debouched from Chaufort wood, a little to the north-west of Douaumont. The Germans advanced by short bounds toward the French trenches, situated

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## LYNCH NEGRO

Kinston, N. C., April 5.—Joseph Black, a negro, was taken from the Lenore county jail here early today by a mob of armed men and lynched. He was the father of sixteen-year-old William Black, who was removed last week from the Green county jail to the state prison in Raleigh to prevent a lynching. William Black is charged with criminal assault. Joseph Black was charged with having assisted his son to attempt to escape.

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Cheyenne, Wyo., April 5.—A sheriff's posse today continued the search east of Cheyenne for the robber who last night held up the west bound Overland Limited on the Union Pacific five miles east of here. According to available reports the robber secured a wallet containing \$546, contributed by E. H. O'Brien, of San Francisco. The robber, described as a youth, with a revolver in each hand, swung on to the observation car just outside Cheyenne. Seven passengers, two of them women, were confronted with a demand for valuables. The bandit after presenting the porter with the watch he carried, which he said he got in "another robbery" leaped from the train, which was running about 30 miles an hour.

## EVERYWHERE THEY TURN VILLA FOLLOWERS ARE MET BY DEATH FROM U. S. AND MEXICAN GUNS

El Paso, Texas, April 5.—In an attack on Villa forces at Cuernavaca yesterday, General Cavazos killed ten and scattered the band, according to a report given out today by General Gavira in Juarez.

Cavazos said he was following the fugitives, but called on General Gutierrez to rush forces against Salvo Nica, Santa Gertrudis and other points where they were supposed to be heading. In Cavazos' force only one man was wounded.

Torreon, Mexico, April 5.—A Villa band under Simon Reyes and Obcon, lost 52 killed in an attempt to surprise the garrison in the mining town of Parras, several miles east of here Saturday. The garrison drove off the bandits and captured a quantity of arms and a number of horses.

San Antonio, Texas, April 5.—Surprised during their siesta, one of the groups of Villa's force driven from Guerrero was defeated Saturday by a squadron of the Tenth cavalry under Colonel W. C. Brown, according to information secured by General Pershing and forwarded by him to General Funston late Tuesday.

In this engagement, the second the American troops have had with Villa's men, the bandits' loss was estimated at from 30 to 40 killed. No mention of American loss was made.

Villa's men, it is said, appeared wholly unsuspecting of the presence of an enemy a minute before they were attacked.

It was about noon when Colonel Brown brought his cavalry within easy range. The Mexicans were lying about the place, many of them asleep and all their horses were grazing, in many cases, some distance from the men. Details of the action were not told, but it is said that besides those killed, the Americans captured an equal number of horses. General Pershing added that his report of the engagement lacked confirmation, though his credence of the news was indicated by the fact that he transmitted it to General Funston.

## AT FRONT IN MEXICO COMMANDING GENERAL'S HEADQUARTERS, APRIL 1.—(BY AEROPLANE AND MOTOR COURIER TO COLUMBUS, NEW MEXICO, APRIL 4).—

America's first detachment of mountain infantry, a corps of specially trained men for such service as that in the mountain-studded country of Guerrero, soon will be actively assisting the cavalry in the search for the bandit, Villa. The belief has been announced that such a command will prove invaluable in the work confronting the American troops in the Guerrero District.

The people of this region give the American troops just as little information as possible. Many of the Mexicans here show undoubted evidence of being Villa soldiers. But nothing has developed so far, however, to indicate that these sympathizers will carry their sympathies into action.

General Pershing in an effort to convince the people of the American's good intentions, has become to some extent a judge of petty grievances of the Mexicans. The prices of the few articles of food which can be purchased here have been fixed by General Pershing so that both the Mexicans and the soldiers may not have any cause for complaint. The price for eggs has been agreed upon as 5 cents apiece, Mexican silver, and fifty cents a dozen, equivalent to twenty-five cents a dozen American money. Other prices are about in proportion.

Washington, D. C., April 5.—The war department today authorized the purchase of 108 more motor trucks and two gasoline tanks for the expedition.

A despatch today to the war department from General Funston definitely located Colonel Dodd and presumably the Seventh Cavalry Monday at Providencia. The despatch also indicated that General Pershing has gone far south, toward the fighting front near Guerrero. A message from General Pershing to General Funston dated April 4, was as follows:

"Met Colonel Dodd yesterday at Providencia and got full details of fight with Villa on March 29. His exceptional march with the Seventh Cavalry to reach Villa camp and work done by that command deserves high praise."

Torreon, Mexico, April 5.—A band of Villa supporters wrecked a passenger train on a branch of the Mexican Central Railroad in the neighborhood of Sombrerete last Thursday, killing a number of persons, according to reports reaching here today.

Washington, April 5.—Reports to the department of justice indicate that there now is no longer any doubt that Felix Diaz had landed in Mexico. Officials have been informed that he is at the head of considerable force in the south of Mexico and has received material aid through Guatemala.

WAGES INCREASED

St. Louis, Mo., April 5.—A wage increase of ten per cent has been given to all employees of the Liggett and Meyers Tobacco Company.

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## I. AND R. IN MISS.

Jackson, Miss., April 5.—A constitutional amendment with initiative and referendum provisions, voted upon by the people and adopted two years ago, has been ratified by both houses of the Mississippi legislature and is now a part of the state constitution. By the terms of the amendment, the voters have the privilege of initiating legislation and the power to veto by popular vote any law the legislature may enact.

## DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE  
Resumed debate on army reorganization bill.

HOUSE  
Judiciary committee recommended committee of five to investigate contempt charges against U. S. District Attorney Marshall.

Naval committee 15 to 6 voted to favor report senate bill for \$11,000,000 government armor factory.

Judiciary sub committee, continued investigation of beef packing matters.

Th' two scientists who recently fell out and stopped speakin' to each other over an argument as to whether th' earth would end in a million or a hundred million years perhaps wasn't so foolish as y' might think. We could do a lot o' things in that extra ninety-nine million years. We might in that time get th' reservoir fixed up, a new railroad station and perhaps even a good road t' th' west side. Its worth considerin'. Here's for tomorrow.

Ohio—Probably fair tonight and Thursday.

Kentucky—Overcast and probably rain tonight. Thursday cloudy.

West Virginia—Generally fair tonight and Thursday.

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# Local German's View Of European War

(Written by Louis F. North, former Editor of The Correspondent.)

Friday, March 31, 1916.  
The great war seems to be entering a decisive stage to judge from the increased and general activity east and west, at Verdun at least it is the struggle for the finish on the west front.

On Tuesday Paris reported that the Germans had started an intense bombardment of the French positions on the west bank of the Meuse and an infantry assault with attempt to cut off the forces in the salient between Bethincourt and Avocourt, which are in a sack as Berlin represents it, or drive them behind fort de Marre into the inner ring of fortifications.

On Wednesday the German general staff announced that the Crown prince's forces had cut through the French first line in a width of over a mile north of Malancourt, southwest of Bethincourt on the pike to de Marre and Verdun, and on Thursday Berlin reported the repulse of repeated attacks by the French in an effort to recapture their lost positions.

Today Paris admits the capture of Malancourt, the northwest pillar of the salient.

Held in front and flank and under a concentric artillery fire in the rear the position of the French forces wedged in between the walls and heights of the eastern Argonne slopes in the described sector is becoming most dangerous. Paris itself admits that Esnes, the place on the de Marre pike, where the salient connects with the Verdun inner lines, is already under fire which means danger to the etappes and the line of retreat.

The back bone of the Verdun defensive is the railroad to Paris and the late German movements on the west flank of the salient point to an effort to get possession of the Bois de Hesse (Hessenveld) which lies between the late acquired territory and that road, where to all probability the great battle for decision will culminate.

Meanwhile the Germans do not remain idle on the east bank of the river, as reports about renewed hand to hand and grenade combats near fort Douaumont, which the French have tried to retake, prove. Even from Muhl,

south of the fortress, which the Germans hold, considerable activity to the west (Les Paroches) is reported. Verdun itself has been hit and is today a heap of ruins.

The British have again extended their lines in the Artois and Canal region for the withdrawal of French reinforcements to Verdun. They claim some successes south of Eloi and Ypres, as the French also do in the Somme-Py-Souain sector of La Champagne. By their report the British took 600 yards of trenches and 170 prisoners in the German St. Eloi Salient by exploding a mine and occupying the crater, but Berlin reports that the Germans regained the position by a grenade attack.

On Hindenburg's Baltic front rivers of blood are flowing. All along the Riga-Dunaburg line, from Friedrichstadt to Lake Narotch, new heavy Russian attacks have occurred, especially at Poslav, where Lorraine and Saarbrücken regiments with others from Brandenburg and Halle annihilated two Russian divisions.

Three strong Russian attacks at Molitzky south of Lake Narotch were repulsed by West Prussian forces, which in a counter attack took 1,261 prisoners and a number of machine guns.

German correspondents write that the battles are bloodier and the Russian losses heavier than at any time since Mackensen's campaign on the Danube. Just fall Hindenburg drove the Russians from the heights west of the Duena into the bottoms, which will soon be set under water by the spring floods, and if Kuropatkin does not succeed to retake the heights, which he is now vainly trying to do, nothing is left to him but to take his army back.

This explains his desperate assaults and enormous sacrifices of men and munition, of which he is said to have plenty, mostly of Japanese manufacture.

London estimates his forces from Riga to the Wilja at 500,000 men, Berlin at 1,500,000 on a 300 miles front.

Vienna reports about the Russian activity on the East Galician and Bessarabia-Bukovina fronts.

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There has also been heavy fighting again on the Austro-Italian front this week, at Gorizia, on the plateau of Doberdo, at San Michele and San Martino. Vienna says: "Before the positions of the eighth chasseurs on the Carinthian border 500 dead were found." This probably refers to a repulse of the Italians at Ploekken. At the Gorizia heights Austrians and Italians both claim successes and captures. The Italian bombardment of the old town continues. 2000 houses have been laid in ashes. The loss of property is estimated at ten million dollars. Berlin has taken the sponsorship over the city to rebuild it.

In Mesopotamia there has been no progress in the British effort to relieve Kut-el-Amara. The Russian advance from Erzerum has not yet reached any objective point and the Turks are not disclosing where they will make a stand.

If the Russian advance in Persia really is as described in Petrograd it must be as much disturbing to the British as to the Turks.

A Greek press agency published news from Aden brought to Cairo by wounded British officers. The city (Aden) is almost entirely surrounded by the Arabs who have turned against the British and fight them with their own arms and munition. If it was not for the English squadron in the harbor Aden would be in their hands today. Yemen and the whole South Arabian coast are overrun by the tribesmen. Over 15,000 British and Anglo-Indians lie buried in the sands of Arabia and as many wounded have been sent home and to Egypt. A high officer said: "Our dream of a big English-Arabian empire has come to a bitter ending. We will do well if we hold Aden, but our brave garrison of 20,000 ought to do it. It has shown most remarkable endurance."

Five Zeppelins have raided the British east coast again. One was captured off the Thames.

According to the report of the German war office, which in Berlin papers fills several columns, the February Zeppelin invasion of Great Britain has been more destructive than all the former ones together. Liverpool, Manchester, Sheffield, Nottingham, Birmingham, Grimsby and Yarmouth, were the principal sufferers. Quais, docks, railroad and ship yards, factories, munition works and whole streets were demolished. On the river Humber the destroyers Eden and Nith and the small cruiser Caroline were blown up.

The London Daily Mail records that since March 15 ships of 70,000 tonnage have been sunk by submarines.

In the sea fight off Zeebrugge last week the British lost the destroyer Medusa, as the admiralty admits. The crew was saved.

A new German raider, the Greif, (griffin) which disguised as a Norwegian trader attempted to pass the patrol line on the British coast and gain the high seas, had to take up the fight with several cruisers and was disabled. Instead of surrendering the captain blew up the ship, but not before he had sent a torpedo into a big British battleship, the Alcantara, which by one London version was sunk, by another put out of action. The Germans lost 280 men, only 15 were captured, the British five officers and 60 men.

By report of the German Admiralty three British seaplanes made an attack upon the aeronautical station on the island of Sylt, Northern Slesvie, but were brought down by the shore batteries before they could do any serious damage. All the inmates, six officers, were taken prisoners. The aerial expedition was as complete a failure as the one at Cuxhaven last year.

The fourth German war loan realized nearly 11,000 million marks. Germany's four loans have netted 36,000 million marks, 9,400 million dollars, all from the savings of the people, not a dollar from foreign loans. Do the Entente Allies begin to see that Germany is not dying from exhaustion? The London Daily Mail does. She says: "Whatever the government organs may pretend to know they can't close their eyes to the fact that the situation of the much under-rated German empire today is almost as good as our own as far as it relates to commerce and industry." To which the Berlin Boersen Zeitung remarks: "Not almost but fully as good and probably a little better. The suc-

cess of the new loan counts as much as a victorious campaign."

A Russian paper, the Ruskoye Slovo, tells of a serious uprising among the workers in the Petersburg Putiloff and Nobel gun and munition works. Thirteen were hung and some hundred sent to the front. The minister of war, Polianoff, stated in the Duma that the Putiloff works had to be closed on account of a strike of the electrical workers, which spread to other factories. Terrorism prevailed for a time, which had to be squelched by the military.

Before the war Central Europe drew many of its supplies from Russia now Russia itself is suffering from the want of cereals, meats, butter, sugar and even salt. Prices of victuals have almost doubled. They cannot be brought to market, because the war department monopolizes transportation. Petersburg, Moscow, Kagan and other large cities have been without coal since Christmas. They are burning wood. The forests around Petersburg have been cut down.

Passenger service between east and west has been suspended to unburden the railroads for freight traffic and supplies are being rushed to where they are most needed.

"Reports of conditions have been suppressed for a long time, but the fear of famine makes it imperative to speak out," says the Vjedomosti. On January 31, already the Bourse Gazette sounded a like warning.

Everywhere in the conquered territory, in Northern France, throughout Belgium, in Poland and Kurland, even in Volhynia the Germans and Austrians have worked the soil for new crops, in many places with the help of prisoners, who receive a cash allowance, and agricultural machinery. In Poland and Kurland a 70 per cent crop is counted upon to feed the people.

Rumania has met Germany on equal terms in an import and export agreement for agricultural and industrial production. May be this explains the announcement from Rome that Rumania was to join the Entente on the first of April. Under the arrangement the Rumanian export commission is to furnish the Central Powers 400,000 tons of wheat and 1,000,000 tons of corn, the latter to furnish the rolling stock.

The French government has announced that the currency circulation, which was set at 15 billion Francs maximum last May, has been increased to 18 billions. As there is no gold reserve to cover it, that means more inflation, Berlin says.

After being only three months in office the new Russian minister of war Polianoff has resigned. The Czar held him responsible for the strikes in the government munition works.

The Paris conference of the Entente war heads lasted only two days. Probably the cannons at Verdun roared too loud. They will give the decision, not the Paris palaver.

The war committee of the British unionists demands general conscription without fear or favor, if any at all.

Sweden sent a mission to the war fields for inspection of the medical and sanitary service. One of the members, Dr. Nils Christiernson, writes to a Gothenburg paper: "I like the German field and prison camps I found modern hospitals in every way scientifically and thoroughly equipped, in France they impressed me as un-finished expedients. They are inferior to the British and can't compare with the German."

Verdun was besieged for two months in 1870 before the Germans took it and was then not as far as strong as today. It figured in history first as the place where the first German Kaiser, Karl der Grosse, a thousand years ago held camp.

England has already 49,506 war widows.

Austria has rebuilt the oil works of Drohobicz and Cyrow in Galicia, which the Russians destroyed in their retreat last year, and the pipe line and is now pumping 700 tons again every day for her army supply.

The Swedish parliament has appropriated 104 million kronen for military preparedness.

10000 dock workers are on a strike in Glasgow, Scotland.

Germany turned over all the booty made in Serbia to Bulgaria for which it has received the war lease on the big Serbian copper mines. German mining engineers are at work there and have already doubled the production.

The British labor organ Nation says: "One of the results of the new government saving poli-

cy is the partial suspension of the age pension act for mine workers."

Turkey has adopted the Gregorian calendar and replaced the oriental moon by the occidental sun. Russia is the only country behind the times, thirteen days. And some centuries.

The socialist row in the Reichstag has brought about a split in the party. The eighteen extremists have formed a party of their own under the leadership of Herr Haase.

The Continental Times, published in Berlin, says: "It may sound absurd, but it is the truth that our leading hotels are crowded and every day newcomers have to be turned away. We hear the same from Frankfurt, Cologne, Leipzig, Dresden and Munich."

Most of the west end clubs in London have been closed.

A Bazar for the German Red Cross in New York netted \$750,000. Chicago is having a big charity bazaar to beat that.

Switzerland in Locarno (Swiss Canton Ticino) writes: "The German reports about revolution in Italy are exaggerated but no justice is done to Italy if her friends wish her a speedy honorable peace. She needs it because she is standing on the brink of an abyss."

That the war will end this year because of the exhaustion of France is the prediction which Dr. S. K. Ratcliffe, sociologist of London University, has made in a lecture at Bryn Mawr College. The Central Powers realize it and hope to force a peace at Verdun, he said. The lecturer forecasts sweeping social changes in England, principally abolishment of the old feudal land tenure. Futuristic conscription threatens British democracy and a bitter struggle against attorney will follow the war, he prophesied.—From Philadelphia Bulletin.

The British Sociologist Shaw advocates the organization of white civilization against the yellow danger after the war, but says: "If we want to make that effective we must begin at home and reconstruct our sham democracy, which is ruining us, into a real one."

A historian has figured out that the wars between England and France in the 18th and 19th centuries lasted with short interruption, 21 years and 100 days.

Lieutenant Governor Baensch of Wisconsin reminds the hyphenated of the fact that our ten dollar gold certificates carry the likeness of Michael Hillegas, first treasurer of the United States. He came with his father, one of the merchant princes of Philadelphia, from Alt Heidelberg (shocking!) and was a charter member of the Bank of North America, still one of our strong financial institutions.

Judge Ben Lindsay, of Denver, Colo., who is visiting Berlin with his wife, told a correspondent of the New York American: "Everywhere I find a desire to remain at peace with the United States. The German government seems determined to shape its method of submarine warfare as the U. S. wish it, but naturally cannot be expected to abandon it altogether."

The Swedish Activists party has issued a declaration about Sweden's position in the world's war as a rejoinder to the demand of the Entente friends that she join England and France because they are democratic states. The answer is that neither England nor France are democratic in the sense that Sweden is where the people actually govern. In England the foreign policy is dictated by crown and cabinet in the interest of the Empire and not by the people for the people (of England), neither people nor parliament were consulted about the war, which was brought about by a clique in the cabinet. And in inner politics not principles but class interests dominate. In France there is no stability in government, it is ruled by politicians who upset cabinets at will. Sweden held to England as long as it found security there against Russia, but since their alliance England is as much of an enemy to Sweden as Russia, which destroyed the autonomy of Finland, the buffer state between Sweden and her aggressive Asiatic neighbor. She fortified the Aaland Islands at the very door of Stockholm contrary to solemn treaty and built an extensive strategic railroad net on Sweden's borders. In her expansion policy she was blocked by the Japanese in the Far East and by the Central Powers on the Balkan and at the Dardanelles. She now looks to Scandinavia for an outlet to the high seas. To-day Germany is master of the Baltic and since England's reversal the protector of Europe against panslavism. It would be inopportune at present to join her but if England continues in her flagrant violation of neutral rights and the destruction of neutral commerce Sweden's ultimate course would be clear.

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## STATE POLITICAL GOSSIP

Democratic Letter  
(Issued by Democratic State Press Bureau.)

Columbus, O., April 1.—Continuing a course that is either ignorant or deliberately deceptive, Governor Willis is going about the state telling of the economies he has effected in the state departments, thereby relieving the burden upon the taxpayers. Here is an instance of the duplicity or the denseness he portrays in his speeches:

He says that he has reduced the salaries in the State Banking Department \$34,000. As a matter of fact, most of the reduction is in fees paid to liquidators of failed banks and not in salaries. There are no longer any unsound banks in the state. Under Governors Harbison and Cox, acting under the new constitution placing all banks under state regulation, a score of private concerns, rotten to the core, were closed up. One of them was owned by a Republican congressman and another by a Republican member of the General Assembly. The liquidators were paid out of the assets of these banks.

The State Banking Department does not cost the taxpayers of Ohio a penny in the way of a levy. It is supported entirely by contributions from state banks, which are assessed a small percentage upon their capital stock to pay the expenses of inspection and regulation. Bankers for years have protested that the state is taking double the amount of the cost of the department from them and turning the surplus into the State Treasury as fictitious earnings. They have asked for the privilege of establishing a continuous fund out of which these expenses are to be paid, instead of making an annual exorbitant payment. When it runs low an assessment can be made to replenish it. It is this unjust exaction that Gov. Willis calls a saving. The same claim has been heretofore made and it wasn't any more justified then than it is now by the present chief executive. What is said about the banking fund is also true of the state liquor license fund. In the latter case each saloon licensee is taxed \$105 a year for the purpose of supporting the state department and to pay the salaries of the inspectors, clerks and other attendances. The records show that upwards of \$500,000 in excess of the actual cost of the department is collected and turned in as "savings." At their recent state convention the licensees demanded of Governor Willis that he spend some of this money to root out the "blind pigs" and "blind tigers" which are flourishing everywhere, while his political henchmen in the department are drawing fat salaries and doing nothing. The taxpayers are not called upon for even the tenth of a mill for this department and the claims of great savings are, as stated at the outset, either based upon ignorance or duplicity.

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Here is more economy at the Capitol. The telegraph and press room, set aside by the General Assembly for a specific purpose, now houses the publicity department of the Willis machine. It is in charge of former Editor Sherman A. Cunneen, who is on the state pay roll as assistant secretary of the defunct Ohio Commission to the Panama-Pacific Exposition. His business is to write puffs of the Governor on state paper and mail them to machine editors. Money is saved, but it is not to the taxpayers. Why doesn't the governor hire an office and settle the expense?

Ten dinner engagements are announced from Columbus for the good young Governor. This means the withdrawal of 110 chicken gizzards from cold storage.

Charles Dick, of Akron, who wants to be re-elected to the United States Senate, warns his competitors in the race that when he takes the stump in June he will have his official record with him and he wants them to come similarly armed. How cruelly unfair!

In order to have some means of reaching past the rural Republican editor and getting at his readers, the Willis machine is boosting the Geiger-Jones financed Columbus Saturday Monitor, and the rural Republican editor is helping to boost. And he is the same Republican editor that got gold bricked on state fair advertising while the Monitor was drawing down \$250 per page, too!

The "wet" Republican organization of Cincinnati declared to the world the loyalty to Willis and against the dry candidates for national Republican delegates. Now the dry candidates, Matt Glaser and S. O. Giffen, are starting the works in the northern part of the state. Maybe Willis can straighten things out there by allowing some more Toledo tax reductions and sales of saloon licenses by his dear friend and representative in the organization.

Republican Letter  
(News letter of the Ohio Republican Editorial Association, Columbus, Ohio, Commercial Building.)

Columbus, O., April 1.—Realizing as they do that there was a political conspiracy entered into by democrats and their allies in Columbus, to defeat certain republicans for delegates-at-large to the Republican National Convention, the party organizations in all parts of state and the rank and file of the party are pledging their united support of United States Senator Warren G. Harding, Hon. John J. Sullivan, Col. William Cooper Proctor and Governor Willis for delegates.

Republicans realize this year, more than ever, that their strongest men must be sent to this convention. The platform will be of the utmost importance. Senator Harding will, in all probability, be chosen chairman of the convention. Governor Willis may present the name of Hon. Theodore E. Burton to the convention. The attitude of the colored republicans of Ohio, with regard to the delegates, is made clear in a letter sent to E. Howard Gilkey, editor of the Columbus Saturday Monitor, by Sidney B. Thompson, of Cleveland, and one of the most prominent colored men in Ohio.

His letter, in part, is as follows: Cleveland, O., Mar. 9, 1916. Mr. E. Howard Gilkey, Editor Columbus Saturday Monitor. Dear Sir: Permit me space in your valuable paper to make a public statement in reference to my being in Columbus on a recent date, in behalf of Mr. Ralph W. Tyler, of the Columbus Saturday Monitor. I wish to deny this statement emphatically. While I have the highest regard for Mr. Tyler as a man, under no condition can I support him or any other anti-administration candidate for delegate at large to the national convention.

I am a republican in harmony with the Ohio slogan: "Willis, Harding, Proctor and Sullivan." And for this reason I can say without fear of contradiction that I have been in over fifty counties of this state since the first of the year, and ninety-five percent of the colored republican vote in every locality that I have visited, is in harmony with Governor Willis and the republican administration of this state; and I feel that if the democrat managers of the Finley-Cox machine want to send a colored man as a delegate-

at-large to the national convention, they should put him on the democratic ticket and not try to wedge in on the republican ticket.

The colored people in Ohio are sick of democratic rule and we are not going to allow the democrats to put up a colored man under the disguise of a republican. I can say with all honesty, excepting a few so-called leaders numbering about one dozen in the state of Ohio, that there is no dissatisfaction among the colored people toward Governor Willis or the republican party. And I believe most sincerely that the united vote from the colored citizens of the great state of Ohio will be so overwhelming for the "Ohio Big Four" that Governor Willis' re-nomination and re-election is now assured.

I am personally interested in the success of the G. O. P. I shall endeavor to use my influence to help to elect the ticket that we nominate on August 8, from top to bottom, whoever they may be. Again, I will say there is no dissatisfaction among the colored voters of this state, with a few exceptions of disappointed office-seekers, and I am glad to say I am not numbered in that class. Harmony is the watchword. This means victory.

Thanking you most sincerely,  
SYDNEY B. THOMPSON,  
Ex-Messenger to Ex-Governor Herrick.  
2228 E. 43rd St.

Bids for the use of \$1,907,700 of state insurance money opened Monday of last week and interest ranging from 2.76 per cent to 4.55 per cent was offered by banks throughout the state.

State Treasurer Archer has reason to feel proud of the complimentary bids offered, as they are by far, the highest ever made for state funds. More than two million dollars were asked for, at rates of interest over 4.05 per cent, and the average rate of interest at which this money is to be awarded is 4.25 per cent. The average rate of interest for state insurance funds under the administration of Mr. Archer's predecessor, was 4.185 per cent. The difference .0655 per cent will net the state \$12,399.95 more in interest per year than has been received in the past two years.

A meeting of the state board of deposits, composed of State Treasurer Archer, Attorney-General E. C. Turner and Superintendent of Banks Harry Hall, was held Friday, March 24 at which time the banks that were successful in the bidding were awarded the money.

The New York Times in an editorial concerning Hon. Newton D. Baker, the new secretary of war, says:

"He is a native of West Virginia and is still in the prime of life. His first training for public service was obtained as private secretary to William L. Wilson. He could not have been associated in his young manhood with an abler and wiser statesman." Having been born south of the Mason and Dixon line, and trained in his early political days by William L. Wilson, made him perfectly eligible for a place in President Wilson's cabinet. No other Ohio democrat is known who possesses these fundamental requisites.—The Scioto Gazette.

Has the democratic party proved itself competent for the responsibilities of national government? Wilson is the first president to call into his cabinet a Single Taxer.—Columbus Saturday Monitor.

Bids on forty-two state road contracts, estimated at \$1,465,784.07 including the cost of bridge structures, will be received by the state highway commissioner, Clinton Cowen, on Friday April 7 at 2:00 p. m.

This contemplates the construction of over ninety-four miles of road of various types in thirty counties in Ohio.

Commissioner Cowen said today in discussing the big letting: "The fact that we are able to let so many jobs at this early date, attests the sound interest in road matters in the various counties of Ohio and their active co-operation in assisting this department to secure an early start in construction work this season. It also shows what can be accomplished under the new Cass highway law. We expect to let contracts at close intervals until our entire program for 1916 is under way. With poor weather conditions last season we were able to complete 360 miles of construction in addition to repairing 905 miles of road, and with reasonably good weather this year we hope to present to the public for travel 500 additional miles of construction in addition to at least a thousand miles of road repaired to a first-class condition for travel."

A Charming Dutch Colonial Cottage

Home of Character No. 185

By John Henry Newson



It is impossible in so small a space to show how, by careful planning, the grounds set off this charming cottage which overlooks the waters of one of the greater lakes. A study of the floor space below will convince you that here indeed is a maximum of comfort and convenience without any sacrifice of space or artistic arrangement.

TWENTY-FOUR-INCH shingles are used on the exterior of this cottage, which, together with the tight shingle barge and simple treatment, accentuate the old-fashioned colonial design. The wide porch extends across the entire front of the house and the large kitchen porch is inclosed in lattice, making an out-of-door kitchen for the warm months.

The living room and library make practically one room, and the dining room also opens into the living room with a wide arch. The kitchen and dining room are connected by a service pantry, and the breakfast room or porch makes an attractive feature. The second floor contains three bedrooms, bath and a large sleeping porch; no attic, but basement under main rooms.

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# CONDITIONS AT CHILDREN'S HOME SCORED BY STATE OFFICER; BUILDING INADEQUATE

## FIGHTING IN MEXICO

(Continued From Page One)  
are still searching for the bandit leader in some remote mountain wilderness of Guerrero, far out

Following the visit of C. V. Williams, director of the Children's Welfare Department, Columbus recently, the trustees of the Scioto County Children's Home received a detailed report on the conditions of the local institution, in which it was said: "The building is inadequate." When seen Saturday, George D. Selby, president of the board, added his opinion also that the home was "absolutely inadequate to care for the children according to the modern views."

The building is impracticably arranged for home purposes, according to the report of Mr. Williams and the basement and the third floor can not be used to a good advantage because of the construction of the structure. The fourth floor is poorly ventilated and the sloping ceilings make the quarters cramped.

At the close of the fiscal year, February 29, Supt. F. M. Baggs, in his annual report, states that there were 54 children being cared for. Since the report was made there have been several added to this. During the year there was an average of 50%. The average cost per capita per annum was \$144.47 and the weekly average was \$2.78.

The Children's Home fund is now overdrawn \$1159.79. This includes the February tax appropriation. The home will not receive another appropriation until next August.

Mr. Williams in his report in part says: "The building is inadequate. On the top floor are five large rooms; in one of these rooms there are three beds occupied by six children; one room is used for hospital purposes and leads to the fire escape; two others are used for the purpose of drying clothing and there is a store room. On the second floor there are six large rooms. Three on each side of a wide hall. On one side of the hall is the boys' dormitory containing twenty boys, next to this and with a thin door between is the girls' dormitory in which there are twelve large girls; next to this is the matron's room. On the other side of the hall and opposite the boys' dormitory is the girls' play room; next to this, the small girls' dormitory occupied by twelve girls and two small children. In the next and adjoining room there are two beds used by three governesses. In the hall between the two girls' dormitories are three beds used by six boys.

"On the first floor on one side of the hall are the matron's dining room, kitchen, children's dining room and the office; on the other side of the hall, the boys' play room, adjoining which is a large room in which the laundress and the cook sleep; beyond this is the parlor.

"In the basement there are two large rooms formerly used for

kitchen and dining room, which are now empty and used for drying clothing.

"Theoretically, I am willing to go on record in saying that the Children's Home property should be held by the city for park purposes," declared Mr. Selby today in discussing the situation. "But practically it is doubtful if this would be good policy when the financial condition of the city and the county are in such shape as they are now. You see, I realize that the city and county have been at great expense on account of the great flood damage such as building new roads, new county bridges, and other heavy expenses that could be classed as emergency cases but it is a question in my mind whether the city and county can afford the heavy expense at this time in retaining the Home property. I believe that cheaper park property could be secured later on. For instance, it has been suggested several times that the old athletic park belonging to the Timmonds would be a good place. In fact, several places could be found on the Hilltop.

"In my estimation the children's home property is the most valuable piece of real estate in the city for residential purposes. Of course there are those who favor retaining the old Indian mound. This could be done. And again a portion could be reserved for a new children's home and still the county would be able to

## Portsmouth Boy On Border

Roscoe Davis, son of Geo. F. Davis, of 1531 Summit street, is now at Columbus, N. M., and according to word received from him he has been promoted to a corporal. Mr. Davis writes relatives that he makes a trip across the border every day, sometimes he drives a truck and other times he rides a motorcycle. He is a member of the Tenth Infantry, U. S. A., and no doubt will have some thrilling experiences while on the Mexican border.

## Believes 12 Men Are Trying To Kill Him; Adjudged Insane

Leo F. Sullivan, a stranger was found lying on Gallia pike near New Boston Sunday afternoon by Marshall Isaac Wells, apparently unconscious. Mr. Wells took charge of the young man and took him to the jail. He was revived but refused to talk.

Sunday evening about 7 o'clock Wells went to his cell and found the man a raving madman. He was swearing at the top of his voice and when the officer entered the cell to quiet him he was attacked and thrown out.

Sullivan claimed that he had hanged a man recently and that twelve strong men were following him and intended to kill him. He broke up the furniture in his cell and did not quiet down until 4:30 Monday morning.

Marshall Davis brought Sullivan to the county jail Monday and filed an affidavit of Lunacy against him. Before the sheriff locked him in a cell Sullivan requested a piece of paper and hurriedly wrote the following message saying that he was going to be killed by those "twelve men" and he wanted his body shipped back home: "I, Leo F. Sullivan, was sent by Mrs. Kane, of Randolph, Mass., to the health resort. Send body to K. C. Vera Cruise Council, Randolph."

Drs. E. O. McCall and W. W. Smith adjudged the man insane at an inquest held Monday noon.

## The Markets

### CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, April 3.—Assertions that the domestic winter crop at present showed the lowest condition for any corresponding time since 1904, sent wheat prices to day sharply up grade. Opening prices which ranged from 1/2 to 2c higher with May at \$1.16 1/2 and July at \$1.15 1/2, were followed by a rise to more than three cents above Saturday's finish and then a moderate reaction.

Prices closed strong, 4 1/2 to 4 3/4c net higher, with May at \$1.20 1/2 and July at \$1.19 1/2. Corn went higher with wheat there were also reports of continued large sales at Kansas City for shipment to Baltimore. After opening a shade to 3/4c higher, the market scored some additional gains.

The close was firm, at 5 1/2c to 1c net advance. Oats reflected the strength of other grain. A big elevator company led the buying. Advances in quotations of hogs and cereals carried provisions up grade. The market, however, was uneven and trade lighter.

### OPENING

Chicago, April 3.—Wheat: May, \$1.17 1/2; July, \$1.16 1/2; 1.15 1/2; Sept., \$1.14 1/2; 1.13.

Corn: May, 75 1/2; July, 76 1/2; 76 3/4; Sept., 75 1/2; 75 3/4.

Oats: May, 45 1/2; July, 45 1/2; 45 3/4; Sept., 44 1/2; 44 3/4.

### CLOSING PRICES

Chicago, April 3.—Wheat: May, \$1.20 1/2; July, \$1.19 1/2.

Corn: May, 76 1/2; July, 77 1/2; 77 3/4; Sept., 76 1/2; 76 3/4.

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### PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork: May, \$23.15; July, \$23.

Lard: May, \$11.42; July, \$11.67.

Ribs: May, \$12.22; July, \$12.34.

### TOLEDO

Toledo, O., April 3.—Wheat: cash, \$1.24; May, \$1.25; July, \$1.24.

Corn: cash, 76 1/2; May, 76 1/2; July, 79 1/2.

Oats: cash, 45 1/2; May, 48 1/2; July, 46 1/2.

Rye: No. 2, 94 1/2.

Cloverseed: prime cash \$10.45; April \$9.50; Oct., \$8.65.

Alfalfa: prime cash, \$9.25; April \$9.25.

Timothy: prime cash, \$3.40; April, \$3.40.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET

Chicago, April 3.—Hogs: Receipts 19,000; slow; bulk \$9.55; 9.75; light \$9.25 to \$9.80; mixed \$9.30 to \$9.80; heavy \$9.20 to \$9.80; rough \$9.20 to \$9.30; pigs \$7.40 to \$8.50.

Cattle: Receipts 9,000; strong; native beef steers \$7.60 to \$9.90; stockers and feeders \$5.90 to \$8.40; cows and heifers \$4.00 to \$8.50; calves \$7.00 to \$9.25.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts 17,000; weak; wethers \$8.40 to \$9.10; lambs \$9.00 to \$11.40.

### CLEVELAND

Cleveland, O., April 3.—Cattle: receipts, 1500; 15 to 35 lower. Calves: receipts, 600, steady. Good to choice veal calves, \$9.50 to \$10.25.

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Sheep: Receipts 100; steady, \$4.00 to \$7.75; lambs slow, \$8.00 to \$11.25.

### PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, April 3.—Cattle: Receipts 1500; active.

Hogs: Receipts 7,000; active; prime heavies, heavy mixed mediums and heavy Yorkers \$9.90 to \$10.00; light Yorkers \$9.25 to \$9.50; pigs \$8.75 to \$9.00; roughs \$7.25 to \$9.00.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts 3,000; strong; top sheep \$9.25; top lambs \$11.75.

Calves: Receipts 1,000; lower; good to choice veal \$9.75.

### PRODUCE MARKET CHICAGO

Chicago, April 3.—Butter: Unchanged.

Eggs: Lower; receipts 34,980 cases; firsts 19 1/2c; ordinary firsts 18 1/2c; at mark, cases included, 18 to 19 1/2c.

Potatoes: Lower; receipts 70 cars; Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota whites \$8 to \$8.50; Minnesota and Dakota Ohio \$5 to \$9.00.

Poultry: Alive, lower; fowls 17 1/2 to 18c; springs 18c.

### CLEVELAND

Cleveland, April 3.—Butter: Creamery extras in solids 39 1/2c; prints 40 1/2c; firsts 37 1/2c; seconds 35 1/2c; process extras 28c; do seconds 26 1/2c; dairies 26 to 28c; packing stock No. 1, 21 to 22c; No. 2 18 1/2 to 19c.

Cheese: American whole milk fancy twins and flats 18 1/2 to 19c; do choice 18c; brick fancy 19 to 20c; Swiss fancy 27 to 28c; limburger 17 to 18c.

Eggs: Fresh gathered firsts, free cases, 21 1/2c; seconds 19c.

Poultry: Live chickens 19 1/2c; guinea quabs \$4.00 a doz.; do old \$3.00.

Potatoes: Choice white \$1.05 to \$1.10; jobbing dry lots; do in small way \$1.15 to \$1.20 a bu.; Bermuda \$1.00 a bu.

Sweet Potatoes: Jersey \$1.00 to \$1.10 a hamper.

### SUGAR

New York, April 3.—Raw sugar steady. Centrifugal 5.90c; molasses, 5.10c; refined firm. Cut loaf, 8.15c; crushed, 8.00c; mould A, 7.50c; cubes, 7.50c; XXXX powdered, 7.15c; powdered, 7.10c; fine granulated, 7.00c; Diamond A, 7.00c; confectioner's A, 6.90c; No. 1, 6.85c.

Sugar futures opened steady on demand from trade interests and at noon prices were 1 to 4 points higher.

The buying continued later and the market closed steady, unchanged to 9 points higher. Sales changed to 9 points higher. Sales

### SPOT COTTON

New York, April 3.—Spot cotton steady. Middling uplands 12.00c. Sales 1917 bales.

### COTTON

New York, April 3.—Cotton futures closed steady. May, \$11.59; July, \$12; Oct., \$12.07; Dec., \$12.25; Jan., \$12.32.

### COFFEE

New York, April 3.—Coffee Rio No. 7, 95c. Futures steady. May, 8.15c; Dec., 8.44c.

### WASHINGTON, April 3.—Latest reports from commanders of war ships in Mexican waters say that no trace of Felix Diaz, reported to be in Mexico at the head of a new revolution, has been found.

The protocol with the Carranza government, designed to cover all questions relating to the hunt for Villa, is expected to be concluded during the week.

Washington, April 3.—A fight between one of the smaller groups of Villa and Carranza forces, the latter under Colonel Cano on Mar. 29, was reported to the war department this morning by General Funston. Emanuel Boca, Villa leader, was killed.

### REALTY DEALS

Frank Rolf to John L. Wagner, 120 acres Vernon township, \$1. etc.

Levi D. and Alice M. York to Samuel Davis, east 25 feet lot 10, and all of lots 411, 412, 413 and 114, Yorktown addition, New Boston, \$1. etc.

Morris T. Stewart to James H. Holley, lot 703 Harrisonville avenue, New Boston, \$1. etc.

Leopold and Ruhanna Devenor to Soloma Pearl and Willie Carter, lot 56, Thomas Newman addition, Rarden, \$350.

Mary I. Small to Charles F. Turner, lot M, Albert and Campbell subdivision and lot M, Robert Bell, addition, city, \$1. etc.

Geo. S. McCoy to Ira Gose and Rebecca Gose, 3 acres, Clay township, \$300.

2450 tons; Mar., 4.96c; July, 4.96c; Sept., 4.95c.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

Cincinnati, O., April 3.—Alcohol, wood 95 per cent, 68; denatured 188 per cent, 65.

Gasoline: tank wagon, 24; 70 per cent 29.

MONEY

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COTTON

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COFFEE

New York, April 3.—Coffee Rio No. 7, 95c. Futures steady. May, 8.15c; Dec., 8.44c.

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## FIRST VISIT IN 30 YEARS

After an absence of 30 years, Henry J. Mace, of Memphis, Tenn., who at one time was mate on the old Bonanza, Keystone State and the City of Clifton, arrived here Friday and is marveling at the vast changes in the city since he last saw it. He is the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. A. Moore, who lives at Moore's Landing, four miles west of the city.

Mr. Mace, when a resident of this city, lived near Seventh and Chillicothe streets and he will be recalled by many of the older residents of the city.

Mr. Mace last October had his left leg broken in four places when an automobile in which he was riding in Memphis had a collision with a big motor truck. He had a close call from being crushed to death beneath the ponderous truck.

## Surprise Attack

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for the Germans to debouch from the village. Vigorous French counter-attacks drove them back to the upper fringe of Callette wood.

The total result of the very formidable effort they had put forward was a gain for the Germans of about 500 yards of terrain, more than offset, it is affirmed, by the very heavy losses they had endured. On the west of the river the Germans attacked the Arcourt block-house in a no less determined manner, but met with complete failure, the observers declare.

### FOUGHT ALL NIGHT

Paris, April 3.—Fighting continued all night in the Verdun region east of the Meuse, between Douaumont and Vaux. The issue turned generally, the war office announcement of this afternoon says, in favor of the French who gained ground in the northern part of Callette wood which was occupied by the Germans yesterday.

### PROMISED PROMPT REPLY

Washington, April 3.—American Ambassador Gerard at Berlin cabled today that the German government had promised him a prompt reply to his inquiry regarding destruction of the Sussex and other vessels on which Americans were endangered.

### VICE ZONE GONE

Akron, O., April 3.—The local segregated district ordered closed by Mayor W. J. Laub, passed out of existence Saturday night.

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### WILL NOT RUN

Berlin, April 3. (Wireless to Sayville) James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, states that he was asked by friends and by the democratic party to run for governor of New York, says the Overseas News agency. He considers it his duty, however, to say in Berlin during the war.



## Easter Preparations This is the Week For Coats and Suits

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## POLICE CHIEF

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wad, Dr. W. B. Conway.

### G. O. P. WON

Beauwood, W. Va., April 5.—By electing a mayor and seven councilmen the Republicans won a majority of offices at the annual municipal election here. The Democrats elected three members to council. Clark Sprouts, Republican, was re-elected mayor.

### BARNES DELEGATES BEATEN

New York, April 5.—Returns from yesterday's primary elections throughout New York state of delegates to the Republican, Democratic and Progressive national conventions and members of state and county committees show a light vote and few contests.

Interest in the Republican primaries centered upon the question whether the old time party organization had cut the vote for Governor Whitman as one of the four delegates at large to the national convention, and thereby lessened his prestige in the coming campaign for renomination. Friends of the governor asserted today that the strong vote cast for Whitman in Buffalo, Syracuse and some of the other cities, was entirely satisfactory to them.

Opponents of William Barnes said they saw in the result of the Republican primaries evidence of

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unofficial returns today show that Daniel A. Hoan, city attorney, Social Democrat candidate defeated Mayor G. A. Bading, non-partisan in yesterday's mayoralty election by a majority estimated at between 1,000 and 1,500 votes.

Returns for delegates to the Republican national convention indicate that the delegations will be split, neither the faction headed by Senator Robert M. La Follette nor that led by Governor Phillips having obtained a solid representation.

### FORD HAS SMALL LEAD

Detroit, Mich., April 5.—Although only a few more returns from the presidential primary Monday were received here today, it was evident that Henry Ford, of Detroit, was maintaining a small lead over U. S. Senator William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids, for the Republican preferential nomination.

Complete returns had been received from only nine counties and less than two-thirds of the voting precincts of Michigan had reported. Ford's plurality was about 1,700. It was generally conceded that the race would be in doubt until the state canvassers compiled the returns.

### SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Glasgow, of Eighth street, entertained Tuesday evening with a party in honor of their sister, Miss Olga Pugh, of Saratoga. The evening was spent with music and various games. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Maude Montgomery. Those present were: Misses Virginia Grey, Vera Parry, Chas. Scott, Verna Miranda, Alina Haffner, Annabelle Schuyler, Olga Pugh, Maude Montgomery; Messrs. Richard Gardner, John Barrows, Marvin Lee, Edward Halmert, Freeman, Darrel Miranda, Harley Pugh and Lloyd Kiser.

The young women of the office of the Selby Shoe Company, successfully planned a delightful surprise on Mrs. Leslie Taylor (Vivian Jewell) a bride of a few weeks. The party was held last evening at her home, 1720 Offshore street. The party assembled at Mrs. Bennett's home, nearby, and all went in a body to the Taylor home, taking with them a handsome clock and candlesticks for the bride, and the refreshments, delicious ice cream and cake. The evening was most enjoyably spent by all present, the surprise being complete.

Mrs. Jane Dinsmore and daughter, Miss Louise Dinsmore, of Franklin avenue, will go to Cincinnati this week to spend several weeks with Attorney and Mrs. Frank Dinsmore.

Miss Evelyn Reed, who has been spending her spring vacation with her parents, will leave next Monday to resume her studies at Highland Hall, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

Mr. Robert McCorkle was a business visitor at McDermott yesterday.

Senator and Mrs. W. D. Tremper returned Tuesday from a delightful trip to Roanoke, Va., and Washington, D. C. While at Roanoke they visited at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Blakemore.

Senator Tremper was called upon to deliver a speech at an enthusiastic republican meeting held in Roanoke during his stay there.

The Home League Club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Hunk, on Offshore street.

Mrs. Vaughn Shiers and son, Lamer, of Lincoln Hill, will go to Wellston to spend the week end with her mother.

Mrs. J. F. Taylor, of Baird avenue, will entertain Thursday afternoon with a social whist for the benefit of the Trinity Methodist Women's Home Missionary Society.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity Methodist church will give one of their famous chicken suppers Friday evening in the church.

Mrs. John Foster, of Indianapolis, Ind., who has been spending several days with Mrs. Theodora Bate, left this afternoon for Chillicothe to visit friends and will be accompanied by Mrs. Bate, who will spend several days with her daughter, Mrs. Addison Marshall.

Mrs. Homer Ege will leave tomorrow for a visit with relatives in Pittsburgh, Pa.

The capital stock of the Ohio Valley Bank, which was organized in the city six years ago will be increased from \$25,000 to \$50,000, an announcement of this character being authorized Wednesday by officials of the bank. Arrangements to this end have

been going on for several days and were perfected Wednesday.

The additional stock will be taken up by outside parties not now identified with the bank.

A meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held shortly and it will likely be followed by an interesting announcement.

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Contractor Frank Seymour, arrested on charge of striking Isaac Bumgardner, Tuesday morning, with intent to wound, was arraigned before Mayor Davis Tuesday afternoon, and on pleading guilty was fined \$10 and costs and given a lecture by Mayor Davis. He paid the \$12.80 and was dismissed.

The trial of Attorney Joe Steagall, charged with disorderly conduct, set for Tuesday afternoon, was postponed until Wednesday afternoon in order to secure a jury which Steagall demanded. Attorney Edgar Miller is defending Steagall.

Ten candidates will be initiated at the regular session of the W. O. W. lodge Thursday evening. Every member of the order is expected to be present at the initiation.

Lucy May, of Station avenue, who has been seriously ill, was reported about the same Wednesday.

All members of the Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church are urged to attend a special meeting to be held at the church Thursday evening, at seven o'clock, when new officers will be elected and a re-organization effected.

John O'Connors, who has been in Mayor J. S. Davis' court times too

## A SQUARE MEAL BEATS POETRY

To the Average Man the Material Comforts Count Most.

For the average person, unblest with riches, it is the material comforts of life that count. That "we want but little here below" is a truism, but to be without that little is keenest hardship.

A good meal isn't poetical, but the honest declaration, "I can't eat a hearty meal without discomfort," has a better sound to the average man than the best line ever penned by poet.

It is after long loss that the material things, when won back, seem so much better.

Of all the ailments that afflict humanity, chronic dyspepsia probably is the most common. Its causes and characterizations are many. Skilled specialists have been unable to cope with this almost universal malady, but Mother Nature, in combination with skill and chemistry, has compounded in her exhaustible laboratory a marvelous remedy for this trouble.

The symptoms of this common disease, which is only a forerunner of more complicated maladies, are many. Belching after meals, frequent nausea, pains in the region of the stomach, and a tired feeling, are only a few of the indications. Dyspepsias become listless, then morbid, are melancholy over trivial things, have whimsical ideas, besides physical sufferings, and with appetite gone, sleep fitful, dizzy spells and frequent nausea, life hardly seems worth living.

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The best way to treat spring sickness is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This old reliable family medicine purifies, enriches and revitalizes the blood. It is an all-the-year-round alternative and tonic, and is absolutely the best Spring medicine.

Get your blood in good condition at once—now. Delay may be dangerous. Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla, and insist on having it, for nothing else can take its place.

which enable us to lower our standard of life, which has risen remarkably during the last decades.

"The crop reports indicated he said that all the winter crops were good, in fact, the reports had not been as favorable for many years previously. The harvest of 1915 was the worst of decades; nevertheless the stocks of grain for bread making not only would be sufficient, but provided for a considerable reserve with which to begin the new year.

"We shall not run short of anything in the future, as we have not done so in the past," he said.

The Chancellor declared it was the intention of Germany's enemies to extend the war to the women and children of this nation by starving them and for this purpose Great Britain and her allies have interfered with trade of neutrals.

"The American note of November 5, 1915, gave an exact description of British violations of the nations' laws," he continued. "But as far as I know, it has not been answered up to this day."

The Chancellor turned to the success of eventual conditions of peace. He pointed that in his speech of September 9, he had declared readiness to enter into discussion of peace, but that then, as now, Germany's enemies declined.

"Our enemies wish to destroy United Free Germany," the Chancellor went on. "They desire that Germany shall be again as weak as during past centuries, and the sequestration of Europe. That is what our enemies mean when they speak of definite destruction of Prussia's military power."

"And what is our intention? The sense and aim of this war is for us the creation of a Germany so firmly united, so strongly protected, that no one ever will feel the temptation to annihilate us. This Germany, and not the destruction of other races, is what we wish. Our aim is the lasting rescue of the European continent which is now shaken to its very foundations."

Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, amid profound silence, and the deep attention of the house, turned to the Polish problem and to that of nationalities in general. He said:

"Neither Germany nor Austria-Hungary intended to touch the Polish question but the fate

of battles brought them in contact with it. Now this problem stands before the world and needs to be solved. Germany and Austria-Hungary must and will solve it.

"After the war there must be a new Belgium.

"Formerly Poland had been

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of the new features of the Apollo Concert Company's program this year is a combination of violin, flute, viola de amour and piano, which is used as an accompaniment to the vocal duets of Mrs. Wells and Miss Harding. The program will start at eight o'clock, sharp.

## GRANGE HAS MEETING

Pinkerman Grange met in regular session Saturday evening, April 1. A goodly number of members were present and eight girls and boys took the first and second degree. After the business part of the meeting was over all set down to enjoy the feast prepared by the members.

## WILL RENDER PROGRAM

Under the auspices of the Lewis Brass Band the following program in the Pindley Street M. E. church Thursday evening:

Selection.....Lewis Band  
Address.....Master Ross McConnell  
Solo.....Mr. Geo. Lash  
Selection.....Mr. Waller  
Solo.....Mrs. Georgia Walton  
Selection.....Virginia Thompson  
Selection.....Lewis Band  
Reading.....Miss Pearl B. Anderson  
Duet.....  
Solo.....Stockton Hill, Evelyn Haley  
Solo and Chorus.....Mark Melvin  
Butterfly Drill  
Selection.....Lewis Band

## Debate Is Called Off

Owing to the illness of Sister M. Aquin, principal of St. Mary's parochial school, the debate of the graduating class which was to have been repeated this evening has been called off.

### THEATRICAL

**Sun Theatre.**  
The Palace Players are giving great satisfaction with their performance of "Quincy Adams Sawyer." The audience gave tremendous applause at the climax of each act. The play will be given tonight for the last time. After the play tonight a big "butcher shop" will be held, the same as last Wednesday, at which time pounds of meat were given to the audience. Every patron of the Sun should not miss tonight, "butcher shop night." The play for the last three days of this week will be "The Graters," a strong political play in four big acts with plenty of comedy and sensation.

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Cut out the foolish foods and funny sawdust diets. Cut out everything but the meals you are eating and eat with every one of those a single Sargol tablet. In two weeks note the difference. Let the scales be the judge. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy, "stay-there" fat may be the net result. Sargol aims to change weak, stagnant blood with millions of fresh new red blood corpuscles—to give the blood the carrying power to deliver every ounce of fat-making material in your food to every part of your body. Sargol, too, mixes with your food, to prepare it for the blood in an easily assimilated form. Thin people tell how they have gained all the way from 10 to 25 pounds a month while taking Sargol and say that the new flesh stays put. Sargol tablets are a careful combination of six of the best assimilative elements known to chemistry. They come 40 tablets to a package, are pleasant, harmless and inexpensive and Fisher & Streich and all other good druggists in this vicinity sell them subject to an absolute guarantee of weight increase or money back as found in every large package.

## JONES TO BOSS BURLEY CUBS

According to telegraphic information from Maysville "Jimmie" Jones, who managed the Frankfort team during the last half of the Ohio State league last year, has signed a contract to manage the Burley Cubs of Maysville this season.

## Adjudged Insane

Albert C. Murray, of near Lucasville, was adjudged insane on Wednesday morning at an inquest held at the sheriff's office. Acts of despondency and vicious attacks upon his wife were the causes given by J. A. Kenard for filing the affidavit of lunacy against the young man. Murray, according to witnesses, would attack his wife then afterwards would apologize saying that she was a good woman and that he could not understand what he induced him to do those things.

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## Father McGuirk To Answer Questions Asked About Priests

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The subject of the evening's sermon is the following: "The Catholic Priesthood, Its Divine Origin, Power and Dignity."

The pastor in compliance with a personal request has kindly consented to answer the following popular objections which are daily raised against the priests of the Catholic church.

Was the so-called reformation caused by sacerdotalism?

Priestcraft—Is it not true that priests are selfish and ambitious to gain wealth and power by imposing upon the credulity of their followers?

Is not true the Pope of Rome together with Roman priests of America are secretly plotting to overthrow the republic and instead, establish the church supremacy of Rome?

Is it not true the priests of the Catholic church united with all other churches and the capitalists of America are opposing Socialism?

Is not celibacy of the Roman Catholic priests unnatural, unscriptural and unAmerican?

Does not celibacy lead to all kinds of immorality and is it not a greater evil than race-suicide?

Does not Catholic priests make use of religion for their own financial profit and comfort?

Is it not true that priests invented the mass, purgatory and forgiveness of sin in order to make a money traffic out of them?

Do not priests receive so much per head for praying souls out of purgatory and forgiving sins?

Is it true priests will not forgive sins unless Catholics subscribe ten years in advance paid up for the "Monaco" or "To Capture Villain" or "Stop the European War" or learn to read the bible in Hebrew?

Is it true that priests coerce children to learn by heart the Lord's prayer, the ten commandments, the declaration of independence and burn up every bible?

Why don't priests marry?

Is it true that Catholic priests are professed enemies to our public schools?

Is it true Catholic priests believe, preach and write that all protestants will go to hell?

Have not priests been charged with exacting from one man for forgiveness of his sins \$7899.30.

Is it true that Catholic priests on the day of ordination take solemn oath to do all in their power to keep the people old and young in ignorance, in idolatrous and superstitious practices in poverty and slavery, that they may live a life of ease and pleasure?

Is it true priests are stockholders in all the great financial corporations of this country, and

bacon companions of American aristocracy?

Is it true the Catholic priest-hood all the world over is one mighty vampire of human race sucking out its life blood upon which the church of Rome feeds, fattens, flourishes and luxuriates at the expense of human slavery and misery?

## Elks Will Install

The annual installation exercises of Portsmouth Lodge of Elks No. 154 will be held next Wednesday, April 12, and these impressive services will be followed by the initiation of a class of 16 candidates. It is remotely possible that the annual inspection of the lodge will also take place on this night.

## QUICK HELP FOR A CROUPY CHILD SIMPLE--HARMLESS

When your child is croupy, cross, feverish, full of cold, restless and irritable, try this:

Get a small tube of NOSTRIOLA of your druggists, apply to nostrils and on chest and throat—also under arm-pits and on soles of feet. NOSTRIOLA is absolutely harmless (formula on every package) and this simple common-sense treatment will clear the head, instantly stop that terrible croupy, croup cough and quickly change a half-sick, fretful child into a happy playful one.

The old method of dosing the stomach for colds and croup is wrong and harmful. Get a small tube of your druggist today, and you'll wish you had tried NOSTRIOLA sooner.

## Moose Initiate

At the meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose Tuesday night three candidates were initiated, the Messrs. S. A. Killen, Charles Crawford and John Cochran. The annual installation of officers will be held in two weeks and it will be followed by a banquet.

## Buys A Farm

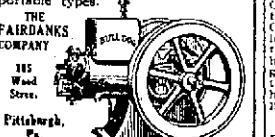
Mrs. S. C. Kearns, who recently sold her property on Eighth street to George D. Selby, has purchased an eight acre farm, stock, grain and farm implements from Morgan E. Rowland and others. The farm is at Black Fork, Jefferson township, Jackson county. Mrs. Kearns has moved to the farm. Real estate dealer W. H. Shonkwiler completed the deal.

## McCall Gets Studebaker

Agent Will J. Friel has delivered a six cylinder Studebaker machine to Attorney Stanley McCall.

## "Bull Dog" Engines

Run on gas, gasoline or oil; no batteries or electric iron tanks; fewer wearing parts than any other engine. Stationary, semi-portable and portable types.



## WILL GO TO ASHLAND

A. E. "Ted" Cunliffe, who for 21 years had been in the employ of the Whitaker-Glessner company, and who for the past four years had been employed in this firm's local plant, has gone to Ashland to accept a responsible position in one of the big steel plants in that city. Mr. and Mrs. Cunliffe will make their future home in Ashland and the best wishes of a host of friends will follow them to their new location. They have been living at 1001 Grandview avenue, this city.

## Appraise Land

The appraisers of the real estate involved in the partition suit of Blanche Richard Littlejohn against Josephine Miles Walker, et al., filed their report in the court of common pleas Wednesday. The report placed a value of \$100 on the first tract, \$2500 on the second and \$2600 on the third. All three tracts are located in Vernon township.

## Securing P. O. Record

The local post-office employees are now counting all of the delivered mail in the city for the coming week, a report of which will be submitted to the postmaster-general at Washington. During the first fifteen days in April a count will be made of all incoming and out-bound parcel post packages.

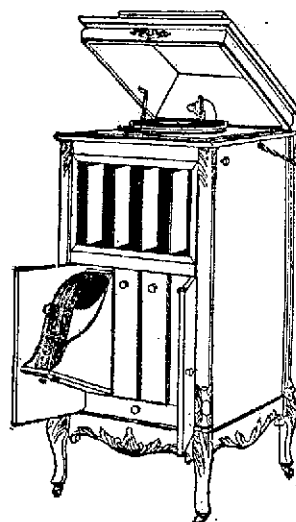
## Claims Wife Was Insulted

George Steiner, an employee of John Capelhart, coal dealer, caused somewhat of a commotion by rushing down the river grade to the O. & O. ferry Tuesday afternoon and demanding that a man aboard be ejected that he might hold him for the police. He claimed the stranger had insulted his wife. The commander of the boat, which had already gotten under way, refused to return to shore.

### NOTICE

Lewis Cosca, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 6th day of March, 1916, his wife, Ellen Cosca, filed her petition against him in the Court of Common Pleas of Seneca County, Ohio, being cause No. 1612, praying that she be divorced from him, and that she have the care and custody of her minor child, Frank Cosca, on the grounds of gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty. Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 25th day of April, 1916.

ELIZA COSCA, Plaintiff.  
Blair & Kimble, Attorneys.  
15-6 Woods.



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—moving the tone arm starts the record

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## Lieutenant Governor Arnold To Be Here Friday Evening

On Friday evening, Lieutenant Governor Jack Arnold, Columbus, Ohio, will arrive in Portsmouth to attend the annual "Home Coming" of the Portsmouth Council No. 38, Junior Order of United American Mechanics. The Junior Order band, dressed in their military uniforms, which they received last week will meet the evening train and escort the distinguished guest to the lodge room.

Great preparations have been made by the committee in charge for this event. Twenty-six hundred invitations were mailed to members and former members. Every one whether he has a receipt or has forgotten the word is urged to attend. Special inducements will be made to the members in arrears to become affiliated again with the Portsmouth Council.

The program of the evening will be one of the best that the order has ever given. The band will give a concert. Several local members will give talks and Lieut. Gov. Arnold will explain the proposed free text book measure for which an initiative petition is now being circulated under the auspices of the order.

A light luncheon will be served at the conclusion of the program. Visitors from all of the councils for several miles around are expected to attend.

### MONEY TO LOAN

On Portsmouth, New Boston and Sciotoville real estate. The Portsmouth German Building and Loan Association Co., Edgar F. Draper, Secretary, Masonic Temple. 1-1

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A vivid moving presentation of a real dramatic triumph, lavishly produced at a cost of \$100,000. Shows at 1:30, 3, 4:30, 6:30, 8, 9:30

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A picture that will wipe from your hearts all envy of your rich friends and teach you to know true contentment. COME AND SEE IT

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JOHN

BARRYMORE

—IN—

### "NEARLY A KING"

A big scream

# RESERVOIR AND THE FLOOD EXTENSION BONDS ACCEPTED; WORK TO BEGIN SOON

Much enthusiasm prevailed in the city administration circles Wednesday when City Solicitor Skelton received a telegram from Wallace D. Taple, chairman of the State Industrial Commission, which stated that the commission had formally accepted the proposed bond issue for the repair of the city water works reservoir, and another issue for the construction of the flood wall extension. Both issues were for \$40,000.

Plans and specifications and estimates for both the flood wall extension and the repair of the reservoir have been completed by City Engineer Sam Harper. These will be submitted for the approval of council at a special meeting which will be held some time this week. Solicitor Skelton will announce the decision of the State Industrial Commission at the regular meeting of council Wednesday evening.

Mr. Skelton himself felt particularly elated for his repeated trips to Columbus had been rewarded, the acceptance by the commission being just what he had so earnestly sought.

The state commission's action removes the necessity of advertising the bonds for a period of 30 days and then wait 10 additional days to realize the money on the sale. The bonds if allowed to run their regular course would have been up for sale early in May, so that the city will really gain 40 days time.

## THROATS ARE SORE

because membranes are inflamed and sore. Immediate attention is necessary to avoid serious danger.

First of all, put a few drops of hydrochloric acid in a glass of water and gargle. Be sure to rinse the mouth and throat. Inhale or spray hydrochloric acid in hot water—for it destroys the germs that cause sore throat. Physicians are urging the use of hydrochloric acid at any drug store, because it is absolutely pure and positively harmless. It cleanses, purifies and heals. It soothes and cools the inflamed throat and acts instantly.

General Laboratories, Madison, Wis.

## Politicians On The Job

Joe. Burgraff, who was in the city Tuesday, reports politics looking up in Rush township. Among those expecting to bid for the Republican nomination for county commissioner said he was A. L. Russell and Orville Shively.

## Suitt Is Dismissed.

An entry was filed in the \$10,000 damage suit of Thomas E. Adams against Jacob P. Pfau Wednesday in the court of common pleas by Attorneys N. B. Gilliland and E. G. Millar, in which it was stated that the action was dismissed without record owing to the failure of the plaintiff to appear in court.

## Doctor Recommended Duffy's



MR. S. STEIVENSARD

## Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

Is a predigested food in liquid form which favorably influences digestion in furnishing the necessary food elements to build rich, red blood corpuscles quickly. Its effects in promoting nutrition and warding off disease are real, thorough and lasting. That's why Duffy's if taken as directed, invariably gives the system power to throw off and resist severe coughs, colds, grip, catarrh, bronchitis and lung troubles.

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NOTE: Get Duffy's from your local liquor dealer, druggist or grocer. If he cannot supply you, write us. Send for useful household booklet free.

The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

## COST OF LIVING GOES UP EVEN FOR THE PRISONERS

A resolution was passed at a recent meeting of the county commissioners in which the price of boarding the prisoners at the county jail was raised from fifty cents a day to fifty-five cents. Hereafter Sheriff E. W. Smith will receive fifty-five cents per day for every prisoner confined in the jail.

A bond for \$150,000 submitted by the First National bank as a county depository was approved. Authority was granted the county auditor to renew four notes which became due Wednesday.

Two notes were from the First National bank, one for \$4,000 and the other for \$10,000. One was from the Central National bank for \$2,500 and another from the Security Savings and Trust Company for \$2,500. These notes were executed in 1914.

Samuel Thatcher was appointed a member of the Soldier's Relief Committee, for the Fourth Ward and W. F. Weatherwax and William H. Williams, members of the same committee from the Third ward.

A resolution was passed petitioning the court of common pleas for authority to transfer \$1,500 from the general funds to the credit of the Scioto County Agricultural Society.

The commissioners inspected the county infirmary and found everything in good shape, with the exception of lavatories. New ones will be installed this week.

William M. Weidner, superintendent of the infirmary, was granted permission to sell an old horse to Christie Johnson for \$50 and purchase a new one for \$150.

## CORNERSTONE OF G. O. H. BUILDING IS REMOVED

A bronze tablet in a good state of preservation, bearing the names of the company that built the Grand Opera House building in 1895, a copy of the Portsmouth Daily Times and Portsmouth Daily Blade of May 9, 1895, and papers that were in bad shape, the result of water seeping into the cornerstone when this building was submerged by floods, were found in the cornerstone when it was removed by the Portsmouth Construction company Wednesday morning.

Local Elks had planned to preserve, if possible, the cornerstone, but it was broken in several pieces while being moved. The bronze tablet and papers found in it are now in the possession of L. P. Haldeman, a member of the board of governors of the Elks.

The Grand Opera House building, according to the bronze tablet, was built by the Portsmouth Opera House company in 1895. Officers of this company at that time were Floyd L. Smith, president; H. S. Grimes, manager; W. A. McFarlin secretary; John W. Hall, treasurer. These officers with L. D. York, A. T. Holcomb, J. Lehigh Watkins and M. Stanton completed the first board of directors.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, also for the beautiful floral offerings.

The Bereaved Husband, George Baer and Sons. adv 5-1

## LAYING RAILS

"We are laying steel rails between Franklin Furnace and Haverhill and hope to have rails laid to Haverhill in a short time," said Raymond York, general manager of the Ohio State Valley Traction company, said Wednesday.

"The work of grading between Haverhill and Hanging Rock is progressing rapidly under the direction of Contractors Hord and Kenethly."

## CLAIMS MACHINE DID NOT GIVE SATISFACTION

Through Attorney Will J. Meyer, Thomas J. Conroy, who was recently sued in the court of common pleas by the Dalton Adding Machine company for refusing to purchase a machine, filed an answer and cross-petition Wednesday. The document avers that Conroy entered into an agreement with Representatives Grubbs and Sheridan, of the Dalton Adding Machine company, September 1, 1915, to give a machine a 60-day trial, after which a purchase would be made, providing the same proved satisfactory.

Before the machine was shipped upon trial, the defendant alleges that the agents asked him to sign a written agreement. This he did, the petition avers, and the machine was found unsatisfactory a few days after it arrived and was shipped back.

The defendant asks that the written agreement which was signed, with an understanding that the machine could be sent back if unsatisfactory, be returned to him.

## MANY FACE MAYOR ON VAGRANCY CHARGES

George Hook, aged 24, and brother, Teddy Hook, aged 16, farmers of near Portsmouth, Ky., who had come to Portsmouth in search of work, were in police court Wednesday, facing vagrancy charges.

The boys had gone to the Harrison-Walker track plant late Tuesday night, and after spending a few hours watching brick-making in its various stages, slipped into the straw in a box car to sleep, only to be caught out soon after by a policeman. Teddy was dismissed by the mayor because of his youth and advised to seek a job for himself and brother, and if successful the brother would also be released.

Carl Hoffman was the name given by a partner claiming to have come here from Cincinnati in search of work. He was arrested while sleeping on the N. & W. right of way. William Johnson, a middle-aged Virginian, who said he was on his way to New Boston when arrested, and William Piles, a Kansas negro, found loitering on North street after midnight, were fined \$5 each for vagrancy.

Walter Belice and John McCreary, Jr., also as the result of a misunderstanding had a personal appearance in Gallie street Tuesday night, were dismissed with a warning. They had been friends, but Belice was told while escorting a girl from home from the N. & W. theatre and McCreary, Montana and some friends, who were coming down Gallie street, had purposely tripped him.

Mrs. Rasmus Hodge has been almost an hourly visitor at the police station since causing her husband's arrest a few days ago for assaulting her, and now does not want him sent to the workhouse. She has been told that only the settlement of the case will save him from the trip.

Seek a position through TIMES WANT ADS. Employers of labor read them carefully.

## SHINOLA

Make Thrift a Household Word

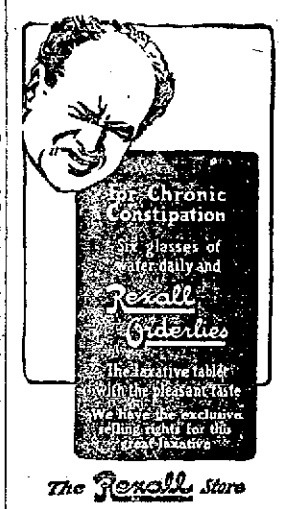
Teach the children to be thrifty. Habits formed in childhood are not apt to change in after years. The key opening box of SHINOLA with more than fifty shines and a

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THE RENALL STORE

## REVIVAL MEETINGS

**At Manly Church**  
The song service at Manly church last evening was featured by the singing of a gospel song in Spanish by Rev. Gilliland. The song used was "I Will Sing You a Song of that Beautiful Land." The melody is the old familiar tune, to which we are accustomed to sing in English. Just before the sermon, the Brotherhood Male Quartet rendered "Wonderful Peace."

The sermon was a splendid picture of God's wonderful mercy to us, the text being, II Peter, 3:9: "The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some men count slackness; but is long-suffering toward us, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance."

"Because we grow careless concerning our promises to God, and no great calamity befalls us, we get to think that perhaps God is slack concerning His promise that all who sin shall be punished."

"So many of us have the old idea that we are punished here for our sin. When we see some one visited with great suffering and affliction, we wonder what sin they have done to bring it upon them, while these very people were doing their very best to serve God faithfully. There was the case of Job. Job was serving and trusting God the very best he knew how; but afflictions came to him. And his comforters (?) tried to make him believe that it was because of some great sin. But his conscience was clear and he could trust God, even though He should slay him."

"Suffering and afflictions sometimes come to us as the natural result of our wrongdoing. God does not interfere with the laws of nature, and even after we have become Christians, we may have to pay the penalty for some of our past sin, in bodily weakness or affliction."

"God allowed affliction to come to Job as an example to us, to teach us the lesson of faith in God. A man is a Christian because God has spoken to his soul, and he has come into close touch with Him, not because of any temporal blessings he has received. So afflictions sometimes come to us as the natural result of our wrongdoing. God does not interfere with the laws of nature, and even after we have become Christians, we may have to pay the penalty for some of our past sin, in bodily weakness or affliction."

times come to us to test us. Through the way we bear our afflictions, we honor God and help draw others to Him.

"Because of this age-old idea of punishment here, we say that God is slack, when He fails to visit some terrible thing on us for our continual sin against Him. It is not that; it is because He is long-suffering. It grieves Him, but He is willing to suffer long. He isn't willing that one of us should perish. He wants us all to repent and be saved."

"Don't misinterpret God's word. He has told us that all shall be justly rewarded for our deeds, whether good or evil. He's doing all He can to get us to turn to Him and serve Him. He has had mercy on us."

## REBUILDING FURNACE

A large force of men are rebuilding furnace No. 5 in the open hearth department of the plant of the Whiteaker-Glessner company. It will be almost twice as large as the old furnace when completed, as it will have a 70 ton capacity, while the old furnace had a capacity of 35.

Tom Roush, captain of the Greyhound, resumed work Monday after a several days' illness. Last Friday he suffered an attack of acute indigestion.

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## PARALYSIS

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Surely such mercy and long-suffering ought to melt us into repentance, and, constrained by His wonderful love, we would yield our lives to His will."

Tonight, at 7:15, Mr. C. M. Weyand will preach. There should be a large congregation to hear his message. The usual personal workers' prayer-meeting at 7 o'clock. On Friday evening Dr. Chandler, of Bigelow, will bring the message.

**Rev. Upton Starts Revival.**  
Rev. J. J. Upton, well known minister of the Portsmouth district, commenced a series of meetings at Wesley Hall Mission, 512 Second street, last night, and two conversions were reported at the opening service. He will preach tonight on "The Shining of Moses' Face" and promises to have an interesting message for all.

Rev. Upton is a "cyclone in action for good" and he undoubtedly will arouse much enthusiasm at the Wesley Hall Mission. An invitation to all to attend is extended.

## WATCH SORE THROATS

because swollen glands or inflamed membranes often affect other tissues and lung trouble easily follows. As Nature's corrector of throat troubles the pure cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is speedily converted into germ-resisting tissue; its tested glycerine is curative and healing, while this wholesome emulsion relieves the trouble and rebuilds the forces to resist tubercular germs and avert the weakening influence which usually follows.

If any member of your family has a tender throat, get a bottle of Scott's Emulsion to-day. Physicians prescribe it to avert throat troubles, overcome bronchial disorders and strengthen the lungs. No alcohol or harmful drugs. Always insist on Scott's. Scott & Lowe, Bloomfield, N. J. 15-12

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New arrivals in silk suits and silk and serge combinations added to our great showing of cloth suits comprises an assortment highly prized by us and greatly appreciated by our customers. Assortments are especially strong at

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## MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. &amp; A. M., will meet Thursday evening, April 6, at 7 o'clock. Work in the Entered Apprentice degree.

## WANTED

WANTED:—Young men as railway mail clerks, \$75.00 month. Sample examination questions free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 333 N., Rochester, N. Y.  
Mar 8 5W5F5S

WANTED:—All the good working people and others to know that we have a four day's sale on which will last until Saturday night, 9 o'clock, April 8, at the new Undersealing Store, 172 Gallia avenue, New Boston. All ladies' and gents' furnishings and granite ware will be sold at 25 percent below present wholesale prices. Phone 1715-Y. We also have at 619 2nd street, Portsmouth, a fine line of Excelsior and Irving Drexler return shoes at prices that will make you laugh. Phone 567-Y. 5-3t

WANTED:—To repair, adjust and connect gas stoves. P. E. Doerr, Phone 415-L. 5-6t

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. 1549 11th. 5-2t

NOTICE:—The livery stock of the late Frank Gardner will be sold at public sale at 9th and Chillicothe streets Saturday, April 8. Sale starts 10 a. m. 5-3t

WANTED:—The people to know that James Newkirk pays the highest price for second hand furniture. 608 2nd. Phone 567-Y. 27-4t

WANTED:—Men to learn barber trade. Four weeks complete. Wages Saturday. Tools given. Jobs waiting. Can run your own shop. Write for information. Moler Barber College, Cincinnati, Ohio. 1-6t

WANTED:—Boy to work in store, one who does not go to school. Phone 1291-Y. 3-4t

WANTED:—Boy to work in grocery. 1111 Summit. 3-3t

WANTED:—Painting and masonry, first class work. Burt Smith, 1115 17th. 3-3t

WANTED:—Three girls at 1162 18th street, restaurant. 3-3t

WANTED:—Boy over 16 in Wurster Bros., 419 Chillicothe street. 3-2t

WANTED:—To buy old furniture, stoves, clothing, and shoes. DeBerrienne and Ladd, Phone 567-L. 1-5t

WANTED:—Upholstering and furniture repairing, cheap. Work guaranteed. DeBerrienne and Ladd, Phone 567-L. 1-5t

NOTICE:—Highest prices paid for second hand furniture, clothing and shoes. Phone 449-L. G. W. Rice. 1-1t

WANTED:—Washing or house cleaning by Margaret McGraw, Phone 1384-Y. 4-2t

WANTED:—Practical nursing. Phone 1415-Y. 18-4t

NOTICE:—For prompt city delivery call Geo. Abrams, Phone 1025-L. 31-4t

WANTED:—For prompt package delivery. Phone Y 404, Dick Bestwick, 12 Waller. 21t

WANTED:—2 girls, cook and cleaning room girls, at once. 629 2nd. 23-4t

WANTED:—Paper hanging, painting, decorating to do. Frank B. Pratt, Phone 363-L. 61t

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare &amp; Klingman, Phone 490. 5-4t

WANTED:—Young men and women to know Portsmouth College of Business prepares students for civil service positions. Salary \$900 to \$1200 per annum to start. 18-4t

WANTED:—Carpenter jobbing and remodeling contracts. Work guaranteed. Phone 1441, Chas. G. Grogan and Harry Strong. 3-4t

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WANTED:—Pool room man at Washington bar. 5-1t

WANTED:—Two gentlemen boarders. 620 John. Phone 1727-W. 5-6t

WANTED:—To borrow \$400 for 12 months, first mortgage on improved property valued at \$3000. Will pay 8 percent interest. Address L, care Portsmouth Times. 4-10t

WANTED:—Good girl, one who can go home at night, good place for right party, only experienced help need apply. 1813 11th. 4-2t

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. Apply 416 Glover. 4-4t

WANTED:—During April I will tune your piano for \$1.25; also wash and polish same for \$1.00. John Church Co. pianos. W. P. Bradford, Phone 3800-L. 4-3t

WANTED:—Position as chauffeur or repair work. Experienced in all cars. L. Toy, Wakefield, O. 4-3t

WANTED:—Union barber at Smith's shop. Gallia street, New Boston. 4-2t

WANTED:—Boarders at 317 Campbell ave, bath. Phone 881-W. 4-2t

WANTED:—Two girl boarders in private family. 1410 12th. 4-3t

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Rhode Island Red and Leghorn eggs, for setting, 50c for 15. See Floyd King, 29 W. Grace street, New Boston. 3-6t

FOR SALE:—Farm 54 acres Ohio bottom, 3 1/2 miles from Portsmouth. Phone 1448-X. 1628 5th. 3-3t

FOR SALE:—One five horse power, gas or gasoline engine. 1108 Monroe St. 3-4t

FOR SALE:—Two farms in French Grant, also 2 nice homes on Main street, Wheelersburg, Ohio, with 1/2 acre land with each. John Hartman, Phone 80-L, Sciotoville exchange. 3-6t

FOR SALE:—Extra good smooth black mare, weight 1400 lbs. J. S. Newland, one and half miles west of Otway, Ohio. 3-6t

FOR SALE:—One white enameled bed room suite. Phone 1785-Y. 3-6t

FOR SALE:—Thoroughbred Barred Rock eggs 50 cents per setting. Phone 153. Daulton Bros. 5-6t

FOR SALE:—Cheap, considerable Portsmouth Engine company stock. Twenty-five cents on the dollar. Address Box 414, Iron-ton, Ohio. 1-6t

FOR SALE:—2 story six room house, with bath and gas complete. 37 ft. front, corner Lincoln and Highland. Lot south side of this corner, 37 ft. by 175. House on rear of lot. Former price has been reduced. See F. H. Fritts, Phone 645-L. 1-1t

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Large 6 room house, Grandview, near Grant, bath, pantry, front and rear porch, large two story barn, \$300 cash, balance as rent. Price \$3700

Large 6 room house, Fifth street, near Lincoln, bath, pantry, sliding doors, 5 cabinet mantels, slate roof, large lot, easy terms, a bargain. Price \$4000

New 6 room house Seventh street, near Lincoln, bath, pantry, gas and electric fixtures, front and rear porch, sliding doors, \$300 cash, balance as rent. Price \$3500

Nice 5 room cottage, Grant street, near Franklin, bath, pantry, front and rear porch, worth \$3500. Price \$3200

Fine 60 ft. building lot, west side of Franklin avenue near Seventeenth avenue. Price \$1400

Fine building lots on Kinney Lane, near Chillicothe, street assessments and sidewalks paid. Price \$250, \$300, \$400

Fine 60 ft. front building lots at Wheelersburg on new traction line, gas, sidewalks laid, 5 minutes walk from schools and stores of all kinds, easy terms or would trade for city property, price each..... \$2300

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5 room cottage on Oakland avenue with bath, front porch, good walks, gas for heat and light.

Good business house near N. &amp; W. passenger depot with living rooms.

We have a large amount of Suburban property in any location or direction from city. We have farms in any part of the country at prices that are attractive.

## CROPPER &amp; JORDAN REALTY CO.

918 North Waller

Phone 1509 X

FOR SALE:—7 room 2 story, bath, electricity, hardwood floors, storm sheeted. North Waller, \$4100.

Store room and living room, corner lot, renting for \$30.00 per month. \$2600. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview, Phone 1408-L.

FOR SALE:—Female Angora goat 1815 Robinson. 5-2t

FOR SALE:—Black Monrovia hens and eggs for setting. Phone 1136-X. 5-3t

FOR SALE:—10 acre farm, Rosemount Road near Chillicothe pike. This land can be laid out and sold in building lots or acre lots; good truck farm; cheap at \$3000. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview, Phone 1408-L. 5-2t

FOR SALE:—Electric vacuum sweeper and Webster New International dictionary. Both nearly new, cheap if sold at once. Call 245-L or 1626 12th St. 4-2t

FOR SALE:—Oak bed room suite, cheap. 1903 11th. 4-3t

FOR SALE:—Big folding bed with mirror, cheap. 1104 2nd. Phone 476-X. 4-2t

FOR SALE:—Baby buggy, cheap. 1409 17th St. 4-2t

FOR SALE:—Tent 9x9 ft. in good condition, cheap. 1154 12th. 4-3t

FOR SALE:—5 good horses. L. Flannigan, 810 Grimes avenue. 13-4t

FOR SALE:—Thompson's barred Plymouth Rocks and eggs for setting. W. J. Wood, 1307 Hutchins. 26-4t

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-4t

FOR SALE:—5 head of good mules. W. F. Seymour, Phone 692. 28-4t

FOR SALE:—Ford 5 passenger touring car, first class condition. Phone 357-Y or 339 2nd. 25-4t

FOR SALE:—2 Ford touring cars and one Studebaker 1915 model, all first class shape. Thos. W. Fickling Garage, 411 Front St. Phone 1363-L. 20-4t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms with use of kitchen and dining room, if desired. 1642 5th. 29-4t

FOR RENT:—Truck farm of 31 acres, 2 acres good gardening ground, 6 room house, stable and other buildings, on Carey's Run 3 1/2 miles from town. E. Morris, Phone 2700-L. 3-3t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 1622 11th St. 1-1t

THE HAZLEBECK CO.  
General Insurance  
819 Gallia St. Phone 70

## ALL WRONG

The Mistake is Made by Many Portsmouth Citizens.

Look for the cause of backache. To be cured you must know the cause.

If it's weak kidneys you must set the kidneys working right.

A Portsmouth resident tell you how.

O. W. Metzger, painter, 2233 Seventh St., Portsmouth, says: "I was chopping wood one day when a stitch took me in the small of my back and I had to be helped into the house. The kidney secretions were scanty and burned in passage. They also contained sediment like brick-dust. I treated with six physicians and used many medicines with no results. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. That cure has lasted for over five years."

50c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn, Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. Creveling  
In The City

Jos. D. Creveling, formerly principal of the Portsmouth High School, was in Portsmouth Tuesday for a short visit with friends. Mr. Creveling is now connected with the Ohio Fuel Co. with headquarters at Columbus.

## BUILDING PERMITS

Cecil S. Miller, two 4-room cottages at Nos. 485 and 487 Campbell avenue, \$1,000 each; Herb Vail, \$100 repairs to property at No. 715 Eighth street; J. J. and Clara R. Brumfield, sanitary sewer tap at No. 1540 Robinson avenue.

"Pai" On Way  
To El Paso

Lawrence Patterson, who has been spending a few days at Key West, was scheduled to leave there Tuesday for Galveston and after a short stay there he will go on to El Paso, Texas, where he will spend some time.

FOR RENT:—Upstairs flat, three very large rooms, one reception hall and bath, front and back entrance. No children. Half square from Chillicothe. 835 Fourth. Mrs. Oscar Ruark, 835 Fourth. Phone 647-L. 5-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for sleeping or light housekeeping. 941 2nd. 3-3t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, conveniences. 831 8th St. above Chillicothe. 3-4t

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms with or without board. Cal. 1079-X. 3-4t

FOR RENT:—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping, all conveniences. 616 4th. Phone 954-B. 1-3t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 537 Sixth St. 4-3t

FOR RENT:—2 unfurnished rooms suitable for light house keeping, modern bath. 1404 3rd. 4-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath and phone. 1120 8th St. 4-4t

FOR RENT:—4 room flat on Gallia. James Maxwell. 4-2t

FOR RENT:—3 unfurnished rooms near car line. Phone 1764. 4-3t

FOR RENT:—2 unfurnished rooms on Hilltop, all conveniences, no children. Phone 762-L. 4-4t

FOR RENT:—Flat, 5 rooms and bath, electric light, gas, hardwood floors, veranda. 638 11th. For particulars call Mrs. Harry Taylor, Home phone 637; Bell phone 360. 4-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, all conveniences. Fincide cafe. 4-3t

FOR RENT:—3 unfurnished rooms. 814 Ninth. 4-2t

FOR RENT:—Small house in rear of 1216 Summit. Phone 1613-L. 4-4t

FOR RENT:—3 room flat, bath, hot and cold water. Duerr flat. 823 Gallia. 4-3t

FOR RENT:—3 room furnished flat for light housekeeping, modern, phone 553. 31-4t

FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms for light housekeeping and bath included. 930 Gallia. 22-4t

FOR RENT:—80 acre farm, 3 miles north of Sciotoville. Cash rent. Call 724 Seventh. 13-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished front rooms for light housekeeping, large light rooms, on car line, bath, only quiet people of good character desired. 917 9th. 1-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms. 1525 Gallia. 1-5t

FOR RENT:—One or two nicely furnished rooms. Phone 1508-Y or 1127 Findlay. 1-1t

Defendant  
Is Dead

The case of Geo. W. Cooley against Stella E. Cooley was dismissed without record Wednesday in common pleas court, owing to the death of the defendant. Attorney N. B. Gilliland represented the plaintiff.

Mrs. Louis Snyder, wife of Undertaker Snyder, of Wheelersburg, is ill.

Johnson, better known as "Doc" Welch, a middle-aged citizen of Me-Adee, is reported very ill with pneumonia.

## THE MARKETS

## NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, April 5.—The uncertain trend of specialties and the comparative strength of rails were the conflicting elements of today's market. Activity and higher prices attended today's initial dealings, greatest gains being registered by specialties. Mercantile Marines were the chief features, the common opening with blocks of 3000 and 2500 shares at 19 1/2 to 20; unchanged at the latter quotation, while the preferred at 7 1/4 gained a substantial fraction. Industrial Alcohol rose over three to 15 1/4, with advances of 1 to 2 points in the Motors, Crucible Steel, American and Baldwin Locomotives, Mexican Petroleum and American Smelting. United States Steel was barely more than firm and rails were dull.

CONSTIPATION  
and West Baden Sprudel Water cannot exist in the same body one hour.  
At your druggist—small bottles, 15c; large bottles, 35c.  
WEST BADEN  
SPRUDEL WATER  
100% LAXATIVETwo Men  
Arrested

Jeff Cooper and Floyd Evans were names given by two drunken young men whom Chief Clark arrested Wednesday afternoon after they had raised a disturbance at Front and Waller streets and cursed several drivers who had refused them a ride.

M. J. Abrams, proprietor of the St. Clair hotel at Tenth and Waller streets is very ill. He recently recovered from the grip, but has suffered a relapse.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Oiler of Sciotoville are the proud parents of a nine pound son. Mr. Oiler works at the steel plant.

FOR RENT:—2 furnished house-keeping rooms, bath. Phone 1368-L. 1630 Fifth. 5-3t

FOR RENT:—1 room cottage, 2223 Robinson, \$16 per month. Phone 336-A. 5-1t

FOR RENT:—Suite of rooms furnished for housekeeping, modern. Phone 820-L or 709 2nd. 5-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, bath and phone, one or two gentlemen. Call St. Straus Clothing store, 416 Chillicothe. 5-3t

FOR RENT:—Furnished bed room with private family, all conveniences. Entrance private. Phone 338-L. 5-3t

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage, bath. 1654 11th. \$20 per month. Glen E. Rardin, Phone 310-L. 5-3t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, bath. 1654 11th. \$20 per month. 6 room cottage, bath, 1652 11th, \$25 per month.

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## PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork—May \$22.12; July \$22.00. Lard—May \$11.37; July \$11.60. Ribs—May \$12.20; July \$12.37.

TOLEDO  
Toledo, April 5.—Wheat—Cash \$1.22 1/2; May \$1.23 1/2; July \$1.22 1/2. Corn—Cash 77c; May 77 1/2c; July 78 1/2c. Oats—Cash 48c; May 48 1/2c; July 49 1/2c. Rye—No. 2, 24 1/2c. Cloverseed—Prime cash \$10.40; April \$9.35; Oct. \$8.75. Alsike—Prime cash \$9.35; April \$9.25. Timothy—Prime cash \$3.40; April \$3.40.CLOSING PRICES  
NEW YORK STOCKS  
Allis-Chalmers 30 1/2  
American Beet Sugar 7 1/2  
American Can 61 1/4  
American Cer. and Flouring 60 1/4  
American Locomotive 79 1/2  
American Smelting and Refining 103 1/4  
American Sugar Refining 110  
American Tel. and Tel. 128  
Anaconda Copper 85 1/2  
Atchafalpa 103 1/4  
Baldwin Locomotive 107 1/4  
Baltimore and Ohio 87 1/2  
Bethlehem Steel 47 1/2  
Brooklyn Rap. Transit 85  
Butte and Superior 91 1/4  
California Petroleum 21 1/4  
Canadian Pacific 162 1/2  
Central Leather 51 1/2  
Chesapeake and Ohio 62 1/4  
Chicago, M. & St. Paul 61 1/4  
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry. 17 1/4  
Chino Copper 54 1/2  
Colorado Fuel and Iron 35 1/4  
Coca-Cola 50 1/4  
Crescent Steel 85  
Cuyahoga and Erie 62 1/4  
Erie 37  
General Electric 163 1/2  
Goodrich Co. 77 1/2  
Great Northern Ore. cfs. 44 1/4  
Great Northern pfd. 122 1/4  
Illinois Central 102 1/4  
Interborough Consol. Corp. 16 1/2  
Inter. Harvester, N. J. 110 1/4  
Inter. Mav. Mar. pfd. cfs. 74 1/4  
Lackawanna Steel 77 1/2  
Lehigh Valley 77 1/2  
Louisville and Nashville 125  
Maxwell Motor Co. 73 1/4  
Mexican Petroleum 111 1/4  
Miami Copper 33 1/2  
Missouri, Kansas and Texas pfd. 10 1/2  
Missouri Pacific 43 1/4  
National Lead 67 1/4  
New York Central 105 1/4  
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford 63 1/4  
Norfolk and Western 18 1/2  
Northern Pacific 113 1/4  
Pennsylvania 73 1/4  
Ray Consolidated Copper 21  
Reading 85 1/4  
Republic Iron and Steel 51 1/4  
Southern Pacific 109 1/4  
Southern Railway 30 1/4  
Studebaker Co. 162 1/4  
Texas Co. 19 1/4  
Tennessee Copper 52 1/4  
Union Pacific 133 1/4  
United States Rubber 52 1/4  
United States Steel 85 1/4  
United States Steel pfd 117 1/4  
Utah Copper 82  
Wabash 22 1/2  
Western Union 50 1/4  
Westinghouse Electric 65  
Kennecott Copper 57 1/4

## LIVE STOCK MARKET

Chicago, April 5.—Hogs—Receipts 23,000; active, bulk \$9.00@9.50; light \$9.40 @9.90; mixed \$9.45@9.90; heavy \$9.35@9.90; rough \$9.30@9.50; pigs \$7.25@8.75. Cattle—Receipts 9,000; strong; active beef steers \$7.75@8.00; western steers \$7.70@8.00; stockers and feeders \$6.00@8.10; cows and heifers \$4.10@5.00; calves \$6.00@8.50. Sheep—Receipts 15,000; steady; wethers \$6.25@6.50; lambs \$9.00@11.35.

CLEVELAND  
Cleveland, April 5.—Cattle—Receipts 100; steady. Calves—Receipts 200; steady. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1500; steady. Hogs—Receipts 2000; market 10 to 15 higher; Yorkers and lights \$10.10; heavies and medium \$10.15; pigs \$9.00; roughs \$9.00; stage \$7.50.PITTSBURGH  
Pittsburgh, April 5.—H

# Jr. O. U. A. M. HOME COMING!

At JR. O. U. A. M. HALL, FIFTH AND CHILLICOTHE STS.

## Friday Evening, April 7

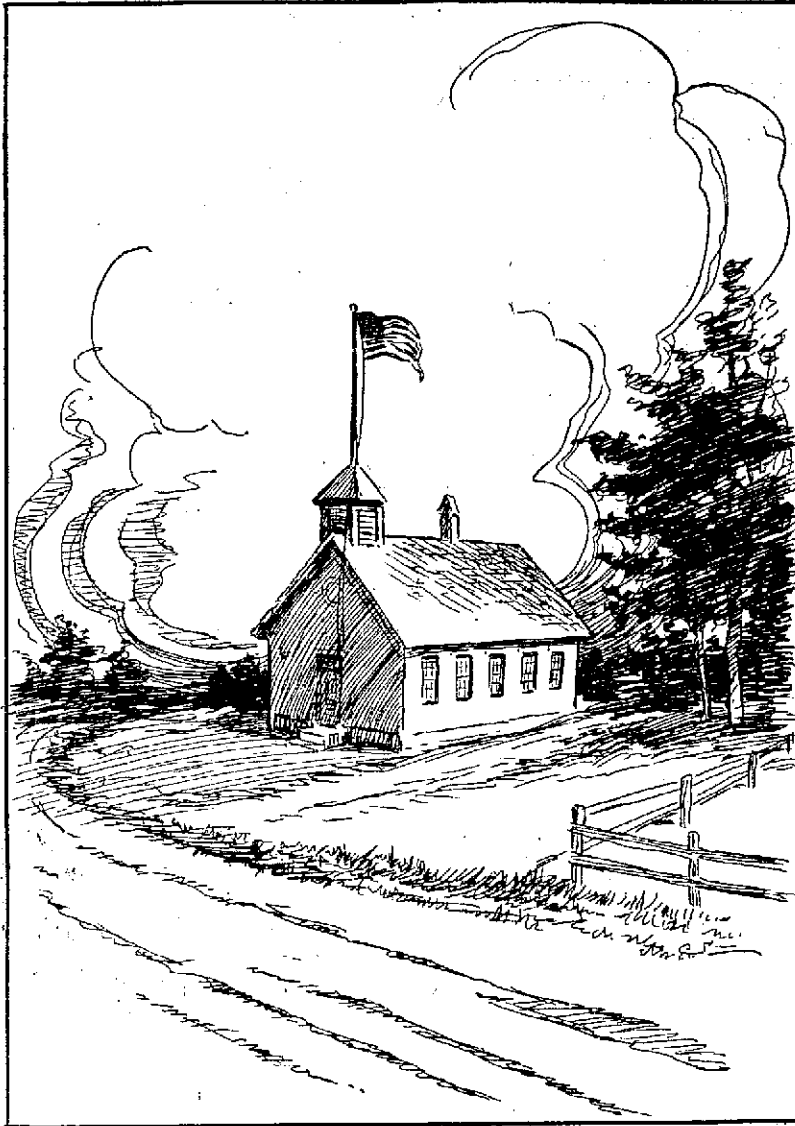
BIGGEST FRATERNAL NIGHT IN THE HISTORY OF PORTSMOUTH!

### Inspiring Addresses By Gifted Speakers!

Lieutenant Governor  
**Jack  
Arnold**  
member of Columbus Coun-  
cil, will speak on the subject,  
**"FREE TEXT  
BOOKS"**



JACK ARNOLD  
Lieutenant Governor of Ohio



### Rev. Charles R. Oakley

Member of Mansfield Council, will be one of the principal orators of the occasion.

All persons who have ever been a member, any time or at any place, whether in good standing or not, and all visiting brethren, cordially invited. No tests made on Home Coming Night.

### Our Slogan—"500 Members By August 1, 1916"

SPECIAL LOW RATES FOR REINSTATEMENT.

### Refreshments and Cigars!

### Music by Jr. O. U. A. M. Band

Ample accommodations for all.  
Come and enjoy the night with us.

By order of the committee.

IRVIN BOWSER, Chairman.

WM. WEST, ALVA COWAN,

OWEN HOPKINS, C. B. GRONINGER



REV. CHAS. R. OAKLEY.  
of Portsmouth.

## The Movies



FATTY, MABEL AND THEIR GOOD DOG FIDO IN ONE OF THE NEW-  
EST AND MOST DIVERTING TRIANGLE-KEYSTONE COMEDIES,  
"FATTY AND MABEL ADRIFF."  
ONE OF THE BEST COMEDIES YOU EVER SAW, COLUMBIA  
TOMORROW.

Motion Pictures of the Fearful Amherst, Ohio, in which three of  
New York Central Wreck At  
Amherst, O., and Other Rail-  
road Pictures At Columbia  
Tonight

Manager Tynes announces that  
he has secured motion pictures of  
the fearful wreck of last week on  
the New York Central railroad at

nection with chapter 13 of "The  
Girl and the Game," that thrill-  
ing railroad story featuring the  
fearless Helen Holmes.

Then listen: In addition to  
these two pictures you will also  
see another additional reel show-  
ing the electrification of the  
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul  
railway. You will see how easily  
these mammoth electric motors  
haul the big, heavy trains (both  
freight and passenger) over the  
steep grades of the Continental  
Divide and the Cascade moun-  
tains. Also many beautiful and  
interesting views of wild moun-  
tainous scenery along the line of  
one of America's greatest trans-  
continental railway systems.

Don't overlook this big, inter-  
esting 10 cent picture attraction  
at the popular Columbia tonight.



Clara Kimball Young in "The  
Yellow Passport" At Lyric  
Tonight

One girl pitted against the grim  
power of the entire Russian Secret  
Police and the sinister "Black Hun-  
dreds," provides the main thread  
of the story of "The Yellow Pass-  
port," the powerful new feature in which  
Clara Kimball Young, the World  
Film star, will be seen at the Lyric  
tonight.

The story is one of preeminent  
power, picturing with startling  
boldness and realism the grim sym-  
bolism of the Russian emblem of shame.  
Thrills, pathos, romance, intrigue,  
revenge, black hatred, tender  
love, interwoven in a wonderful  
story produced by the master-hand  
of Edwin August.

Mary Boland in "The Price of  
Happiness" At The Lyric  
Tomorrow

Mary Boland, for a number of  
years one of the leading Frimman  
stars of the legitimate stage, will  
be seen on the screen of the Lyric  
tomorrow, in the new Equitable  
feature, "The Price of Happiness."  
The story of this big picture deals  
in a novel and startling dramatic  
manner with a theme that is per-  
haps expressed in the commandment,  
"Thou Shalt Not Covet Thy Neighbor's Goods." The heroine of the  
story discovers in a series of intense  
situations that the supposedly more  
fortunate lot of her former girl

friends, whom she has envied, is an  
illusion, and that her own simpler  
life is the happier one.

Mrs. Boland has a role that en-  
ables her to give to the screen the  
full expression of her unique dra-  
matic gifts and personal charm. She  
is supported by a brilliant cast, in-  
cluding Marion Singer, Enid Fran-  
cis, Carlotta De Felice, Albert Buch-  
tel, Dave Wall and Adolphe Menjou.

Gorgeous gowns and brilliant  
scenes amid the night life of "The  
Great White Way" are an especial  
feature of this intensely interesting  
production.

"The Red Circle" at the Exhibit  
Today.

"Seeds of Suspicion" is the title  
of the eleventh chapter of  
"The Red Circle." June in De-  
tective Lauer's office handcuffs  
Gage, the clerk to the door knob.  
Gage gets a glimpse of the red  
circle on June's hand. June finds  
Smiling Sam at home. The situa-  
tion is critical. Pathe's Weekly  
No. 14 shows the New York Na-  
tional Guards ready for service;  
Otay Basin, submerged, complete-  
ly desolated by a recent inunda-  
tion; ice skating in the east; Ger-  
mans in Russia, the famous Wur-  
temburg troops first to enter  
Warsaw. "Fresh From the Farm"  
is a Pathe film full of laughs.  
"The Iron Claw" famous Pathe  
serial starts next Monday.

"Graft" at the Arcana

"The Milk Battle" is the title  
of the twelfth chapter of the fa-  
mous "Graft" serial. Richard  
Stanton, in the part of Robert  
Harding, carries on the fight  
against the trusts. He exposes  
the milk combine, the president,  
Burrows, being accidentally  
stabbed at the close.

"Uncle Sam at Work. No 5,"  
shows the government seal pre-  
serves in Alaska and the way  
whales are harpooned and cut up.  
Also shows instructive views tak-  
en in the post office and public  
health departments. "A Quiet  
Supper for Four" is a Nestor  
comedy of nothing but fun.  
Saturday morning at nine  
o'clock the special show for chil-

dren will start and run until one  
o'clock. A Charlie Chaplin, two  
screaming comedies and one reel  
of travel pictures. The price for  
children will be three cents or two  
for five cents. Adults five cents.

At the Temple.

"The Rescue of the Brakeman's  
Children" is another one of the  
thrilling Kalem railroad pictures  
showing Helen Holmes in more  
death daring stunts. She jumps  
from an engine to a flat car and  
with the bell rope brings the en-  
gine to a stop saving the brake-  
man's children after he had set  
the car on its wild flight after be-  
ing discharged for drinking.

"The Auction Sale of Run-  
Down Ranch" is a one reel Selig  
comedy drama. "The Net of De-  
ceit" is a three part stirring Ka-  
lem drama.

At the Forrest.

"Their Sinful Influence" is a  
Selig three part drama. Society  
with a capital "S" is tried and  
convicted of many grievous faults.  
The daughter of a minister play-  
ed by Essie Eyton is the leading  
character. Good work is also done  
by Virginia Kirtley, Richard Mor-  
ris, and Edward Biel. "Rob's  
Love Affairs," is a Biograph  
comedy. Alan Hale proposes to  
four different women—the first  
one at the age of ten. The quar-  
rel of charmers is acted by Madge  
Kirby, Helen Bray, Helen Hume  
and Nell Dawkins.

At the Strand.

"A September Mourning" is a  
two part screaming comedy ec-  
centric number featuring Ger-  
trude Selby. "One Who Passed  
By" is a Rex drama with Ben Wil-  
son, Lila Barclay and Dorothy  
Davenport. "The Soul Man,"  
imp human interest drama fea-  
ture King Baggot. Tomorrow  
brings charming Ella Hall, the  
idol of the movies in "Jewel".  
Broadway Universal feature in 5  
parts.

Tomorrow (Thursday) night  
the Strand will present the charm-  
ing little film favorite, Ella Hall  
in "Jewel," a five part master-  
piece by Lois Weber, from the

## POSTAL GAIN SHOWN

Receipts of the local post office for March, just closed, were  
\$7658.09, being \$567.35 larger than any other March in the history  
of the office. More interesting to Postmaster Harold than that is  
the postal year, which ended with the 31st shows the total re-  
ceipts were \$84,673.28 cents, exceeding the next highest year by \$4,  
661.61, and which will give him an increase in salary.

## "THE SIN OF CURSING"

A crowd that taxed the capac-  
ity of St. Mary's church attend-  
ed the Lenten devotion there on  
Tuesday evening.  
Rev. Father Henry J. Richter  
led in the congregational singing  
and preached another of his very  
interesting sermons on the sub-  
ject of the tongue, taking for his subject  
"The Sin of Cursing." The ser-  
mon closed with benediction.

## RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATION

The United States Civil Service  
Commission has announced an ex-  
amination for the county of  
Scioto, Ohio, to be held at Port-  
smouth on May 13, 1916, to fill the  
position of rural carrier at Scioto-  
ville and vacancies that may  
later occur on rural routes from  
other post offices in the above  
mentioned county. The examina-  
tion will be open only to male citi-  
zens who are actually domiciled in  
the territory of a post office in  
the county and who meet the  
other requirements set forth in  
Form No. 1977. This form and  
application blanks may be obtain-  
ed from the offices mentioned  
above or from the United States  
Civil Service Commission at  
Washington, D. C. Applications  
should be forwarded to the ex-  
amination at Washington at the  
earliest practicable date.

W. J. Givens, Secy.

## HAVE BOUGHT GROCERY

Howard McCarty and Thomas  
Nichols, local young men, pre-  
sented the L. C. Cook grocery  
store, Ninth and Chillicothe  
streets, Tuesday and took posses-  
sion. McCarty was pre-  
viously employed at the Gro-  
cery store as clerk and Nichols was  
employee of the Selby Shoe Co.  
Both are hustlers and should be  
successful in their new ven-  
ture.



# STRAND THEATRE! Tomorrow, Thursday

The Universal Features presents the Cameo of the films,

"JEWEL" in 5 charming parts, featuring dainty, charming ELLA HALL with RUPERT JULIAN. Produced by Lois Weber, author of "Scandal and Hypocrites" from the famous novel "JEWEL" by Clara Louise Burnham.

Beyond a doubt the most beautiful and impressive photoplay ever filmed, in five charming parts. A sublime play that every man, woman and child should see. Additional, one reel of good comedy. ADMISSION: Adults 10 cents—Children 5 cents.

## Tape Worms Fight Battle Captured in Portsmouth!

Now On Exhibition At Wurster Bros.' Drug Store Window.

Portsmouth Men, Women and Children Gladly Tell How They Were Relieved of These Horrible Creatures by Pizaro's Preparations. California Cactus Juice World's Greatest Stomach, Liver and Bowel Cleanser

Warning epicures that rare meat is dangerous and when taken into the human stomach not properly cooked, well done, causes tape worms, cancer of stomach, uric acid and kidney trouble. Pizaro has proven his theory by removing many of these horrible creatures from prominent citizens in Portsmouth. He claims the stomach is the supreme organ of the body, controlling the life-giving fluids and therefore responsible for either health or disease. It naturally follows that if the stomach is weak, overworked, worn out and debilitated from abuse, one would be surprised to know that many people are doctoring for this or that ailment and imagine that they have all kinds of various diseases when nothing is seriously wrong with them but a stuffed up, bulky stomach or one of these tape worms. My California Cactus Juice has cured cases that were seemingly hopeless.

**Stomach Trouble Banished.**  
Mr. Alfred Moler, 836 Mill St., stated his stomach caused him great trouble. "Spells alarmed me and I took Pizaro's preparation and expelled a monster tape worm 40 feet long."

**Girl Saved.**  
"My little daughter, Ethel, was relieved of a tape worm by Pizaro's medicine," exclaimed Mrs. Danham, 1017 Chillicothe Street.

**Merchant's Son.**  
Mr. Joe Billian of the Central Hardware Co., says his son was at last relieved of one of these horrible creatures.

**Deaf 10 Years.**  
Mr. R. D. Hunter, 2303 East Eighth street, stated that he had been totally deaf in right ear for 10 years. One of Pizaro's preparations was applied and Mr. Hunter stated he could hear again.

**Appendicitis Pain Vanished.**

Mr. J. Longhorn, 517 Tenth St., stated that he had appendicitis and all advised an operation. But he dreaded the knife. So he made up his mind to try and see what Pizaro's medicine would do for his case. One application relieved him and Mr. J. Longhorn stated that the pain had vanished. Hundreds of people are testifying to the healing power of this man's medicine. California Cactus Juice is made from the juice of California fruit and juice of the spineless cactus combined with roots, herbs, leaves and barks and is highly recommended for stomach, liver, bowel and kidney trouble. It is nature's tonic and purifies the blood, tones up the system. For sale at Wurster Bros.' drug store.

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Free lectures and concerts nightly at 7:30 p. m. at our free show grounds, Gallia and Offshore streets.

## BASE BALL IS ASSURED; GUARANTEE FUND RAISED

Base ball is assured in Portsmouth this season. The \$2,000 guarantee will be raised by this evening, President William Gableman stated this afternoon. Fifty contributors turned

the trick. Mr. Gableman has already sent a check to President Joe Carr of Columbus, insuring another year of splendid minor league base ball for Portsmouth.

## \$11,000 Deal Means A New Sub-Division

Through a deal consummated Wednesday John Simpson of Simpson Bros. foundry and John W. Flood, East End druggist, came into possession of the Burke Lawson five acre tract at New Boston. The property borders on Gallia street on the south, Lakeview avenue on the west, Oak street on the north and Millbrook street on the east. The strip which

brought \$11,000, is above the 1913 flood and will be platted by the new owners who are making ready to receive bids for grading. The tract will be graded and divided into 35 choice lots 120 feet deep with a frontage of 35 feet. Pine, Spruce and Oak street will be cut through the tract to the lake. The tract will be graded down to the level of the Gallia street curb.

## Mrs. Lena Hurley Is Seeking Divorce

Claiming that James P. Hurley committed adultery at divers times and that he had failed to provide for his family, and that he was guilty of extreme cruelty, Lena Hurley filed suit for divorce and alimony Wednesday in the court of common pleas, through her attorneys, Blair & Kimble.

James A. Hurley, guardian of James P., was made a party defendant in the action. The petition avers that the couple were married April 11, 1908. To this union the following children were born: Myrtle, 6; Roosevelt, 3; and Denver, 1. The plaintiff asks that reasonable alimony be allowed her.

## Credit Men Make Plans For Banquet

Plans for the banquet to be given by local credit men complimentary to the credit men of

Huntington, Corvado, Kenova, Ashland, Catlettsburg and Ironton, Tuesday, April 18, were further perfected at a meeting in the Gilbert Grocery Company's office Tuesday night.

It was arranged to treat the out-of-town members of what in the future will be known as the Tri-State Credit Men's Association to an automobile ride around the city and suburbs immediately upon their arrival in the afternoon. A business session will follow and a banquet will be given about 6 p. m. Between 50 and 75 visitors are expected and it is thought that at least 100 persons will attend the banquet.

The local branch received several new members at Tuesday evening's meeting bringing the membership up to 21 and it is hoped to double that number by the time the banquet is held.

**Funeral Thursday.**  
The funeral services of the late Adam Seal will be conducted from the family residence, on Second street, near Chillicothe, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. The list of graves will be in charge of Rev. Samuel Lindenmeyer, pastor of the German Evangelical church, and Rev. George P. Horst, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church. Friends are invited to the home, but the burial in Greenlawn will be private.

**Malissa A. Feirl Baer.**  
Malissa A. Feirl was born February 12, 1854, and died March 29, 1916, aged 62 years, one month and 17 days. She was married on July 4th, 1877, to George Baer, who still survives her. Six children were born to their union, of whom four sons survive: Samuel, Oscar, Jacob and Earl. One daughter and one son died in infancy. Bertha May died October 27, 1880; Albert died August 9, 1891. She gave her heart to God in her girlhood days and lived a true and faithful Christian. She passed from this world to the Great Beyond with no fear, to meet her Savior. To know her was to love her. She leaves many friends and relatives to mourn her loss.

**CHILDREN WE WORRY ABOUT.**

Cloze confinement in school during the past winter, overstudy perhaps, an attack of the grip or tonsillitis, some one of these things is doubtless responsible for the condition of the child who shows a decline in health now. What are the symptoms? Pallor and languor, a sickle appetite, dark ring under the eyes, bronchial colds. Very often the best efforts of the family physician fail in such cases and the intense anxiety. God-liver oil, so often prescribed, generally fails because the weak stomach is unable to digest fats. Try this treatment. Before breakfast each morning give the child the juice of half an orange. After the noon meal give one of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Keep this condition for a few days and then give one of the pills after the evening meal also. Weigh the child before beginning the treatment and again after two weeks. An increase in weight of from two to five pounds will show you that you are on the right track and that care is necessary in the diet of the patient and it will be well to send to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for a diet book and the pamphlet, "Building Up the Blood." Both are free. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

**WITH THE SICK.**  
James "Doc" Goodpastor, who has been ill with pneumonia, was reported a little better Tuesday.

Raymond York, general manager of the Street Railway company, is able to be out after wrestling with the grip for a week.

Mrs. George Suter, of Oakland avenue, is convalescing from an attack of malaria.

Robert Janetzky of 830 Fourth street has received word this his brother, Reinhard Janetzky, of Clear Water, Kan., is seriously ill.

Mrs. Martha Jones of Findlay street is critically ill with pneumonia. Relatives were summoned to her bedside Wednesday.

George Grice is again laid up with his old-time ailment, stomach trouble. George W. Schaffer is temporarily filling the former's place as bartender at the Ideal cafe.

John Stetinger, of Offshore street, has received word of the arrival of a baby daughter at the home of his brother, Thomas Stetinger, in Springfield, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stetinger were former residents of Portsmouth.

Mrs. James E. Starlin, of 1923 Park avenue, is convalescing from an attack of heart trouble.



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**TERMINALS.**

A large number of N. & W. shop employees greeted Rev. B. F. Caughill when he made a bible talk at the noon hour in the N. & W. tank shed. Secretary E. F. Rideout of the Y. M. C. A. led the singing.

E. F. Rideout of the Y. M. C. A. has secured Rev. L. J. Hopper, pastor of the United Brethren church to give a bible talk in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening at 7 o'clock. All railroad "boys" are invited.

James Weeks, clerk at Jackson and Veneer's grocery expects to receive his new Niagara touring car Saturday and will break it in Sunday. Weeks has been driving a Ford truck and says he knows all about the handling of an automobile.

Mrs. Frank Huff, of Gallia pike, who has been seriously ill, was reported about the same Wednesday.

Mallet engine No. 1538 is due to arrive early Thursday from Roanoke, Va., after being used a short time on the Eastern division.

John Henderson well known N. & W. fireman, will conduct the mid-week prayer services at the Tabernacle, Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock in the absence of Rev. O. L. King, who with his wife, is visiting in Wellston. O. Mrs. Frank Lee and Mrs. Bertha Darby will have charge of the singing in the absence of Mrs. O. L. King.

## MURDERER SAYS HE IS SANE

New York, April 5.—Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, in a talk with newspaper men at Bellevue hospital today, expressed remorse for the death of his father-in-law, John E. Peck, of Grand Rapids, whose murder he has confessed and declared that he was ready "to pay the price."

He also said that he had no accomplices in the crime. When asked regarding his own ideas of his sanity, he said: "Of course I am sane. There has been no thought of anything else in my mind."

**BIRTHS.**  
Ivan and Lucille Riley of Ironton, are the proud parents of a nine pound baby girl, who arrived at 3 p. m. April 3. Mr. Riley is a former Portsmouth boy and is now president and general manager of the Ironton Garage Co.

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## Well Prepared for Spring

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## BODY IDENTIFIED

Accidental drowning was the verdict reached by Coroner J. W. Daehler, after holding an inquest over the body identified as that of Thomas Kunis, which was found floating in a pool near Wheeler's Mills, Tuesday morning.

"From the indications of the body," said Dr. Daehler, "I would say that it had been in the water for many weeks. It was decomposed so badly that permission was granted to the officials of the Hunt-Forbes Company to bury it near the place where it was found."

Following the inquest over the body of William Sharp, 23, whose body was found ground to pieces along the tracks of the D. T. & L. railway near Superior early Tuesday morning by Ed Ruth, Coroner Daehler announced that death was instantaneous and was accidental. The remains were taken to the Superior undertaking establishment Tuesday evening and prepared for burial.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Interment will be made at the Mt. Hope cemetery.

Coroner Daehler said Tuesday evening on his return from Superior that Sharp had gone to Ironton, Monday, and returned on the evening train. He did not get off at Superior because his wife was visiting her brother, Milton Hughes at Crawford's Station. He went to Crawford's Station and after spending a few minutes with the family decided to return to Superior. The earnest pleadings of the family did not have any effect on the young man and he started down the track. This was the last seen of him alive.

The coroner held that Sharp had probably stopped along the track and fell asleep. A freight train which passed about eight o'clock struck him.

**SEWER ESTIMATE READY.**

Estimates for the proposed Hill-top sanitary sewerage system which will constitute the main branch of the city's new system of sanitary and storm sewers will be submitted to council Wednesday evening by City Engineer Samuel Harper.

Before any definite action is taken the plans and specifications will be sent to the State Board of Health for approval.

**Will Inspect Ironton Elks.**

Ironton, O., April 5.—Barry S. Murphy, exalted ruler of the B. P. O. Elks, of Dayton, Ohio, will be here this evening to inspect the local lodge and attend the initiation of a number of candidates and the installation of officers.

**REFUSED PARDON.**

Frankfort, Ky., April 5.—Henry Yontsey, convicted 16 years ago of complicity in the assassination of Governor Goebel, and sentenced to life imprisonment, has been refused a pardon by the state board of prison commissioners.

**SOCIETY.**

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Trinity Methodist church held an enjoyable meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. J. Taylor, on Offshore street. Mrs. Charles Pray and Mrs. C. C. Coverson were the assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Harry Graustad read a chapter in the text book and Mrs. J. M. Stockman read an excellent paper, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. T. H. Jones will be hostess at the next meeting at her home on Kinney's Lane.

Mrs. Norma Hark Young is expected home this evening from Lexington, Ky., where she has been filling an engagement at the Phoenix Hotel.

The All Saints' Women's Auxiliary will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John G. Dillon, on Kinney's Lane. Every member is urged to be present, as delegates to the Woman's Auxiliary convention at Springfield, May 10th and 11th, will be elected.

Mrs. Louis Finnigan, of 1318 Grandview avenue, was operated upon yesterday, having her tonsils removed, and is getting along nicely.

## Constipation and Sluggish Liver

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The GENUINE must bear signature: *Wm. Wood*

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wendelken have moved into a handsome new bungalow at 1803 Hutchins street.

Mrs. Charles G. Norris and daughter Jane, of Orlando, Florida, arrived here Tuesday and will pay an extended visit to Portsmouth relatives and friends.

The Central W. C. T. U. met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. L. Greasy at 1137 Third street. Mrs. Greasy was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. M. M. McClure. Mrs. Greasy furnished instrumental music. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Davidson on Fourth street the first Tuesday in May.

Mrs. Nell Connell of Fourth street, has gone to Cincinnati to pay friends a short visit.

**Simple Way To End Dandruff**

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. It is so easy, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arsen from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be soft, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

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## OBITUARY

**Ersal Liles.**  
Mrs. E. L. Liles, of 916 Offshore street, has returned from the mouth of Laurel, Ky., where she attended the funeral of her nephew Ersal Liles. Young Liles, known here, died in Stark, W. Va., where he worked as time-keeper in a lumber industry a short time before taking ill.

News of the death of Ersal Liles, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Liles, of near the mouth of Laurel, was a shock to his many friends at home as he was only ill from Sunday night at 7 o'clock until he died Tuesday morning at 3:30 o'clock. Death was caused by pneumonia fever. He lapsed into unconsciousness almost immediately but recovered consciousness a few hours before he died when he sang his favorite Sunday school song "Will There Be Any Stars in My Crown" and a line or two of "Scare My God To Thee." His last words were "My Old Kentucky Home Far Away" he being quite a distance from home. Ersal was a man in size although only 16 years, seven months and eighteen days old. He was born August 10, 1899, dying March 28th, 1916. Besides his parents he leaves two brothers, Calvin and James, and one sister, Anna. Calvin lives at Big Lake, Washington, while James and Anna are at home with their parents near the mouth of Laurel. The funeral took place from the home church, interment being made in the family cemetery.

We shall meet him in the morning when the day of life is o'er, We shall meet our darling Ersal Over on the other shore.

**Tress Chestnut.**  
The funeral of Tress Chestnut was held from the home on the West Side, four miles from Lucesville at ten o'clock Wednesday morning. Interment was in the Lucesville cemetery.

Mr. Chestnut, who was 83 years of age, was a Civil War veteran and lived for a number of years on the E. Simpson farm on the West Side where he died. He passed away Monday. The deceased leaves a wife and six children, all at home. He was well known in the northwestern part of the county and was a splendid citizen.

**Chauncey White.**  
Chauncey White, nine years of age, died about ten o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. White, at Lucesville. The boy's parents died several years ago. Spinal meningitis caused death. The funeral will be held Friday with interment at Harpersville.

**Body Arrives Here.**  
The remains of Louis Newton arrived here from St. Louis Wednesday. The funeral will take place from the home of the bereaved sisters, Misses Nana and Cleve Newton, of No. 801 Court street, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. George P. Horst, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, will conduct the services. Mr. Newton's wife was unable to accompany the body because of her feeble health.

Mrs. T. B. Faught, sister of the deceased, of Washington, D. C., will be unable to attend the funeral on account of illness.

**Attend Funeral.**  
Postmaster Vallee Harold, Miss Nelle Stanton, Frank Stanton, Louis E. Distel and Mrs. William Ward left Wednesday for Harpersville, where they will attend the

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# WOMAN AND LITTLE GIRL ARE RUN OVER BY B. & O. S-W. CAR: VICTIMS LOSE THEIR LEGS

**"Oh! I Can't Walk No More" Says The Poor Little One As She Is Taken From Tracks; Both Are In Hospital**

## (BULLETIN)

Mrs. Eskel and little grandchild were still under the influence of the anesthetics at press time and their condition was regarded as extremely critical.

One the victim of her own carelessness, utter disregard of danger or perhaps physical defects, the other through childish innocence made to share the same fate, Mrs. Jane Eskel, aged 76 years, of 2329 Plum street, Earlytown, and her four-year-old granddaughter Mary Ella Craig, were run over by a B. & O. S-W. yard train near the Broadway crossing Wednesday morning and their limbs so badly crushed that they had to be amputated.

The accident, which is almost sure to cost two lives, occurred on what is known as the east switch or B. & O. S-W. spur track about a half square east of Smith & Dunn's coal office, on Broadway, shortly before 10:30 o'clock.

The woman seemed indifferent about the loss of her legs, and showed more concern about the fate of her pipe. When the pipe was found and restored to her she calmly waited for the ambulance.

The little girl, however, suffered terribly, and brought tears to the eyes of all near, when, gazing at her mangled body, she screamed in her anguish, "I can't walk no more."

## SAT DOWN ON THE TRACK

Mrs. Eskel and grandchild were returning home from Sarver & Thompson's grocery in the Blake Block, where the former had purchased a dime package of smoking tobacco. An hour or so before they had made the rounds of East End stores begging stale bread, as was their custom. Charles Urban was standing in the doorway of Smith & Dunn's coal office and saw them pass. The aged woman was in the lead, the grandchild following close behind. They were just pulling out from the crossing and finding their way blockaded the grandmother decided to sit down and rest. She selected perhaps the most dangerous spot there, squatting down on the south rail at the edge of a box car that was standing alone. The child seated herself on the north rail, the two facing each other. Mrs. Lily May, wife of Hiram May, an N. & W. yard employee, emerged from her home just above where the two had just seated themselves. She had come out to warn her nephew, Frank May, who was chopping kindling wood, not to break the hatchet she had loaned to him. She was startled by the puffing of an engine near the Lawson Run viaduct and realizing the peril of the woman and child walked over to them.

## GIVEN WARNING, BUT DID NOT HEED IT

I said to her, "You had better get away from here," but she replied that she was going to light her pipe," said Mrs. May, in describing the events leading up to the accident.

"I again told her that she had better take a fool's advice and move away. I also told the child to get off the track but she refused. I noticed the train coming down towards the lone box car. Mr. Newkirk was running alongside the train, which was evidently switching. I shouted to him that there was a woman and child sitting at the end of the box car. He then took off his hat and began signalling to slow down, I guess. Then he came ahead as fast as he could run and grabbed the child's body, holding it out from the wheels which were passing over the legs. I could not have helped them for I was too weak from fright."

## TRIED TO SAVE THE LITTLE CHILD

W. P. Newkirk, the local B. & O. S-W. yardmaster, who was in charge of the train, said he and crew had been switching in that vicinity. His attention was attracted by Mrs. May and he dropped everything to save the child who was sitting within three feet of the standing box car. He got within about five feet of her when the car passed over her legs. He grabbed her by the shoulder and held her body away from the wheels. He had the train to back away as quickly as possible and the mangled lot was made as comfortable as possible.

## "I CAN'T WALK NO MORE," CRIES CHILD

"Oh, I can't walk no more," she exclaimed as she was lifted to one side and her frantic screams sent a thrill through those arriving upon the scene. It was a terrible sight to behold. On the opposite side lay the also mangled grandmother. Raising herself, apparently unconscious of her real condition, she calmly asked for her old-time clay pipe, which was knocked from her mouth when the car struck her.

The bowl and stem had become separated but both were found and the woman sat the stem in place with a firm hand. She inquired

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ed about the child, paying absolutely no attention to her own injuries. Yardmaster Newkirk sent in calls for an ambulance and physicians.

## Doctor Soon Arrives

Dr. W. W. Smith arrived in a few minutes and after he had bandaged the crushed limbs the two injured ones were placed in Lynn's ambulance and rushed to Hempstead hospital. Just as she was placed on a stretcher the woman called for her tobacco. It could not be found and she told bystanders that it was in the same package containing the bread and apples she had. The package was found underneath the box car and the tobacco was handed to her.

Drs. James W. Fitch and O. R. and W. D. Micklethwait were at the hospital when the ambulances arrived with the two victims. Mrs. Eskel as she was being hustled into the operating room still held on to the little clay pipe, which perhaps had been the chief comfort she had in life.

## Woman's Legs Held By Shreds

Mrs. Eskel's legs were crushed below the knee, literally chopped up and hanging only by mere threads and were amputated at the knees. The child's right leg was cut off below the knee and mangled so badly that it had to be amputated above the knee. The left leg was also so terribly crushed that it was amputated at the hip.

The two unfortunates were barely alive when the operations were finished but rallied somewhat as the surgeons were leaving the hospital. The aged woman was reported in a fairly good condition while that of the child was extremely critical. Neither was expected to survive.

To have both limbs amputated is hard for a person in the prime of life to withstand, while the two extremes were represented in this instance, pointed out one of the surgeons.

Yardmaster Newkirk as soon as the victims had been removed by the ambulance, hastened to the family home in Earlytown, to break the sad news.

## Mother Is Prostrated

Mrs. Alice Craig, mother of the little girl, and daughter of Mrs. Eskel, was prostrated. She threatened suicide if both of them died. A neighbor, Mrs. William Guiley, volunteered to take care of her one year old baby, Johnnie, and grabbing up perhaps the only nickel in the squalid little home, Mrs. Craig hurried on her way to the hospital.

The husband and father, James Craig, was out somewhere in the city, collecting and selling junk. He never comes home to dinner and no one knew just where to locate him. Alfred, a nine-year-old son of the household, stood in the kitchen doorway sobbing aloud as he bemoaned the fate of his only little sister. He is an unusually bright little fellow and occasionally stopped crying about Mary Ella long enough to inquire as to how his baby brother was faring in strangers' hands.

## Baby At Home Is Sick

The baby is very ill and seemingly badly in need of medical attention. Mrs. Guiley clothed the sadly neglected infant with some of her own baby's clothes.

Crouching in a corner of the badly disordered kitchen blubbering incoherently and wildly gesticulating, unconscious to the cause of all the uproar and commotion, floundered Landy, the 17-year-old imbecile son of the family. He had been returned to his parents a month ago by Mrs. Chas. McLeod, who had cared for him a year or so, for a time being aided by the gifts of charitable individuals.



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clined persons. It was stated at the home that the grandmother was both hard hearing and had poor sight.

## Family Came From Adams Co.

The family originally came to Portsmouth a few years ago from Adams county and lived in Red Row on Mill street. They became public charges and Craig was arrested a number of times for petty thieving. They were finally ordered out of the city but remained in Adams county only a short time, later moving to Raden, McDermott, Henley and finally back to Portsmouth early this year.

## How To Prolong Life

By adopting a simple diet men like Canaro have lived to be 100 years of age, but with our complex diets of today, the vitality of the aged is taxed to its utmost endurance. A simple diet, therefore, is conducive to a long life, and if the vitality becomes impaired and weakness seems apparent, our local druggist, Frank Amann, has in Vinol a reliable, non-secret remedy which contains just the elements needed to restore strength to weak, feeble old people, and prolong a healthy, happy life.

## Council Tonight

Legislation for the renewal of indebtedness for the overdrawn service and safety funds will be introduced by Solicitor Anselm Skellon at the meeting of city council tonight, \$20,000 for the service and \$15,000 for the safety fund.

## Mr. Stahler Gets Expert

David Stahler, local agent for the Geo automobile, has engaged the services of an expert repair man, William Dupre, of Wellston, who entered upon his duties at the Stahler garage on Front street, Wednesday morning.

## Out On Crutches

George J. Schmidt, proprietor of the Central Grocery, who several weeks ago fell and fractured his right knee, is able to get around on crutches and hopes soon to be able to pay his store a daily visit.

## Enlists In Army

Sam McGloose, 23, of Wolff, Ky., enlisted in the United States Infantry Wednesday morning at the local recruiting station.

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## FRENCH ATTACK

(Continued From Page One)

ated about 300 yards south of the village. A second and third line followed at equal distances, with small supporting and attacking columns in the rear. This formation has been noticed during the last few days, and is regarded by the French as proof that the Germans have been sorely punished in their previous assaults in serious ranks.

But the change proved ineffective. The first line of riflemen advanced to within fifty yards of the French trenches and there had to drop to the ground under heavy blasts of shrapnel and sustained musketry. The second and third lines were little better off for they were within range of the French three inch guns.

The entire attacking force finally adopted the only move open, retreating under a raking fire to Chaufour wood. They left half their number on the field. At least three regiments took part in the attack. Chaufour wood proved to be an insecure shelter for the French artillery increasing its range covered that entire area. It demolished shelters and piled up the German losses.

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## Cemetery Collections

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# ELOQUENT ADDRESS GIVEN BY DR. KLINE TO G. O. P. CLUB

## 700 Members Are Reported At Meeting; Other Talks Made

The membership roster of the new Scioto County Republican Club reached 689 Tuesday evening at the splendid smoker and "get together" meeting held at the club rooms, Galia street. Two hundred and twenty-five names were added to those reported at the last meeting which was held a week ago Tuesday. John P. Eckhart, temporary treasurer, stated in his report that he knew of eight or nine books, of the many that were not turned in which were filled. With these, the membership of the club is now past the seven hundred mark.

The early history of the Republican party and the stirring times through which the party passed during the strife of '61, were vividly portrayed by Dr. P. J. Kline, who spoke on: "Old Time Republicanism." The three hundred Republicans who attended the meeting applauded the physician's graphic accounts of the hardships and tribulations through which the soldiers were compelled to pass during the civil war. Each incident was used by Dr. Kline to illustrate the important role which the party played in the war.

Joseph T. Mickelthwait was unanimously selected chairman of the meeting. He eloquently and humorously introduced each speaker. Dr. P. J. Kline, Dr. P. W. Young and Charles E. Hardwell delivered addresses.

Before the meeting convened, cigars were passed around and L. H. Hutcheson, of the Hutchison-Walker Music store, played several patriotic records on the Edison Diamond Disc machine, which he brought to the hall for the occasion. He was given a rousing vote of thanks by the members. Has Been a Republican All Of His Life

"I would not have recognized the portrait of myself which was so vividly drawn by your able chairman," declared Dr. Kline in being introduced. "About the

only thing I can say for him is that the things he has said of me can be readily applied to him. As I have been a Republican all my life, so has he been and will be as long as he lives. If you have not been a Republican as long as I have it is because you have not been born long enough."

"It reminds me of a story," said the physician, "about a boy. There was a little boy named John. John and his mother were in an argument about what occurred at his birth. They could not agree upon something that happened and the mother said: 'John wasn't I there when you were born?' 'Yes,' replied John, 'but mother wasn't I there too?' 'I was born a Republican, and my father was a stern old Whig. And I have voted the Republican ticket all my life,' firmly declared the speaker. "A few moments ago I was talking to my friend, Dr. Jordan, and he asked me how many were present this evening who voted for Lincoln. I told him that I did not believe there were many. I was too young to vote for Lincoln when he was first elected. But after carrying a musket for two years in the Union army, I cast my first ballot for him, along with one hundred thousand others who cast their ballot for Father Abraham."

"I cannot tell you anything about the Republican party, for it has been in successful operation for the past half century. Its history is the history of this great country. It has always stood for the right and has been in the saddle most of the time."

**Two Parties A Good Thing**

"Now as to the Democrats. I hope the Democrats will always be plentiful. The minority means a great deal. Every now and then, we need a little sparring, and a kicking to make the party fight. This makes us strong and it calls the party to time."

"I remember distinctly when I

heard that eloquent William J. Bryan for the first time, and he is an able representative of the party. He said: 'I have only one objection to the Democratic party, and that is that there are not enough of them.'

"It is not strange that we get together here tonight, and it is not strange that we meet here to discuss the principles of the party for the well being of the country. The welfare of the country should be the solicitude of every Republican."

"It is just as important to be loyal to your party as to your religion. Maybe you have not thought so, but the first call for the Republicans in Ohio was issued from the old First Presbyterian church at Columbus. In February, 1854, the first meeting of the Republican party was held there. Thirty days later a second call was sounded. And in March a larger body gathered at the old Methodist Episcopal church, on Town street, at Columbus. Here we have Calvinism on one side and Lutherism on the other. So the Union cheer differed from the Rebel yell for the enthusiastic Methodists were with us."

"The Republican party was a child of trouble. It came at the time when men sacrificed their lives that others might live and enjoy the prosperity of the land. When the Nebraska bill came up the party showed that it would not countenance secession and slavery. Then most of all, the great commoner, of Illinois, who was born in Kentucky, grew up in Indiana and lived in Illinois, came. Abraham Lincoln, who did more to establish the Republican party on true principles than are enduring than any other man that lived, was elected president."

**Ohio Responded To Duty's Call**

"Then we turn to the men in Ohio, when the first gun was fired at Sumter that cold April morning in '65. We find that party lines had been forgotten. Ohio sent her best men to the front. Two hundred and thirty thousand of Ohio's best sons responded. Among these were some of the best officers and best men in the war," asserted Dr. Kline. "Then we were in Tennessee and at Chattanooga and were trying to hold the 'Cracker line', we sent out a call for more men. We told Ohio that if they furnished

us men enough to hold our 'Cracker lines' open we would take Atlanta. Ohio sent 40,000 men and the soldiers gathered at Chattanooga. This was in July. Early one September morning, Sherman electrified the whole nation by sending a telegram which stated: 'Atlanta is ours and is fairly won.'

"Money is essential to carry on war, as we found out in the civil war. We can see it today in the European war which is now raging with great fierceness. But we had no money when Lincoln arrived at Washington City with one escort and two men to receive him. The money we used was borrowed and we had to pay 12 per cent. But now we read in the newspapers where bonds are selling which yield 2 per cent. Has not the Republican party staunch as it is, been a true friend to the people? Has it not accomplished great things for the welfare of the country?"

"Now what has the Republican party to do with soldiering in the field? I do not wish to take all the credit for the soldiers; but when the flag was fired upon at Sumter and one hundred thousand men responded from Ohio, among its number were thousands of Democrats. These men came under the flag to defend its integrity."

"In 1864 when we were fighting in Atlanta and were without silver or gold money and were in rags, which were torn and bloody, we were unable to cash our paper 'greenbacks.' They could not be redeemed for half value. We were soldiering for \$5.35 per month and the confederate money was even worse than ours. It took \$21 of their script to purchase a gold dollar, and they were paid fifty cents a month at that. But when Atlanta was captured, things changed. Our greenbacks were worth sixty-five cents and Lincoln's re-election was assured. You all know what followed."

**Republican Party Redeemed Promises**

"The Republican party stood for the things we needed. Then when the war was over, those in charge of the party said: 'We must redeem every dollar for the people, and they did.'

"In 1875 they were redeemed and then what happened. Why John Sherman, of Ohio, then secretary of treasury of the United States, set the little silver dollar along side of the mighty gold dollar and said that the silver dollar was as good as the gold dollar and it has been ever since. This is brought home to us when we see the English coming over here and recognizing our standard as they did a few months ago. Today our dollar is the biggest in the world. That came from the party keeping faith with the people and taking them into their confidence. When the rank and file of the party proposes something it is something in the words of thunder and endures forever."

"In 1861, there were 20,000,000 men in the north and 10,000,000 men in the south, 4,000,000 of whom were slaves. Today we are 100,000,000 strong and are the greatest and wealthiest nation on the face of the globe. We haven't much of an army, but if any other nation wants to come over here to kick up a fuss, I can guarantee that they will have trouble, and lots of it. For the American today will fight just as quickly and just as long as he would in '61 and '65."

**Urges Necessity Of Preparedness**

"There are great principles in the Republican party yet to be wrought out. There remains just as much for the young men today to do as in the days of '65. I don't want to pass by this point until I say something about unpreparedness. I would not want to see this country enter another war as unprepared as it was in '61. Hardly two regiments during those times were armed with the same model of muskets. The ones we had were those great heavy muskets that would almost kick your shoulder off when they were fired, making it almost as dangerous to be behind as in front."

"There was an Irishman in the 12th Illinois regiment down in Mississippi which was termed in tender terms, the 'Mississippi Doom,' because it rained, hard each day and our guns got wet and each day witnessed a contest between the preceding days to see which one could produce the most rain. So it was a practice among the pickets to fire their guns into a cut. This cut was through a hill along the lines of the Mobile and Ohio Railway."

"As we would pass through here we would fire our guns into the bank to see if the powder was rain soaked. An officer in the regiment took his men out one day for a little target practice and the Irishman had some difficulty in getting his ramrod into the barrel of his gun. You know those days we loaded the gun from the front instead of the back. The ramrod stuck out about a foot. Later along came one of those drummer boys. You know the kind of little fellows that have to stand with their legs spread apart

### S. Of V. Plan For Appomattox Day

The meeting of Vienna Camp Sons of Veterans Tuesday evening was full of interest. Three new members were mustered into the camp. They are Clerk of Courts John Hall, Court Bailiff Wylie Kates and Floyd Saylor, an N. & W. war inspector.

The resignation of Commander David P. Scott was received. Mr. Scott, by reason of his duties as a fireman, is unable to attend meetings. The resignation was accepted with much regret, as Dave is a very popular member. Chas. C. Bennett, Senior Vice Commander, was promoted to Commander, and Hartzel Evans elected Senior Vice-Commander.

Election of delegates to the division encampment in June resulted in the selection of Anselm Skelton, Wylie Kates and Gilbert F. Dodds, as delegates, and John Hall, Wm. West and Oscar Trimmer, alternates.

Appomattox day will be observed with a patriotic meeting next Tuesday evening, April 11, in the G. A. R. hall. Rev. B. F. Candill will make the principal address. The committee in charge are Gilbert F. Dodds, S. D. Eckhart and W. H. Williams.

G. A. R. Day, which May 21st of last year, was the greatest patriotic meeting held in this city in a half of a century, will be held at about the same time this year, to honor the living, just before we honor their dead. Gilbert F. Dodds, S. D. Eckhart, Capt. W. H. Williams and Harry M. Sikes are the committee in charge. The observance will be similar to that of last year, parade over principal streets and big patriotic meeting in the afternoon. All patriotic societies and the public in general will be asked to co-operate with the committee to make it the greatest ever held in Southern Ohio.

| Station      | Time      | Forecast |
|--------------|-----------|----------|
| Franklin     | 15 9.8 F  | -0.4     |
| Greensboro   | 18 9.2 F  | -0.6     |
| Pittsburgh   | 22 11.1 F | -1.7     |
| Dan No. 12   | 36 18.2 F | -1.9     |
| Zanesville   | 25 12.0 F | -0.7     |
| Parkersburg  | 36 22.3 F | -2.4     |
| Charleston   | 30 6.0 F  | -0.3     |
| Pi Pleasant  | 39 29.1 F | -3.5     |
| Huntington   | 50 34.7 F | -2.6     |
| Callettsburg | 50 36.8 F | -3.7     |
| Portsmouth   | 50 40.1 F | -3.6     |
| Cincinnati   | 50 45.9 F | -3.1     |

Partly cloudy over upper Ohio valley tonight and Thursday. River at Portsmouth will fall.

**ACTING OBSERVER.**

The Ohio river dropped several more feet since Tuesday afternoon, the gauge registering 40.1 ft. and falling Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock.

Thursday's packet departures: Str. Greenwood down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m., Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m., Str. Tacoma up for Pomeroy at 3 p. m., Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

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**NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL BONDS.**

Sealed proposals will be received at the residence of J. F. Sheln, being the office of the clerk and treasurer of the Wheelersburg Rural School District, Scioto County, Ohio, Wheelersburg, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1916, for the purchase of bonds of said School District, in the aggregate sum of Fifty-five Thousand Dollars (\$55,000.00), dated May 1, 1916; said bonds being consecutively numbered from one (1) to seventy (70), both inclusive, issue of 1916, and in the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) each, bearing interest at the rate of four and one-half percent (4 1/2%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of November and May of each year, with interest coupons attached to said bonds, said bonds to mature in their consecutive order as follows: Two of said bonds on the first day of May, in each of the years 1916 and 1917, both inclusive, and two of said bonds on the first day of May, in each of the years 1918 to 1941, both inclusive, and two of said bonds the first day of May, 1942.

Said bonds are issued by the virtue of the authority of Sections 725, 726 and 727 of the General Code of Ohio, and an affirmative vote of the electors of said School District and under and in accordance with a resolution of said Board of Education, adopted on the 7th day of March, 1915, and for the purpose of purchasing a site and erecting a new school building thereon.

Said bonds shall be sold to the highest and best bidder or not less than par value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

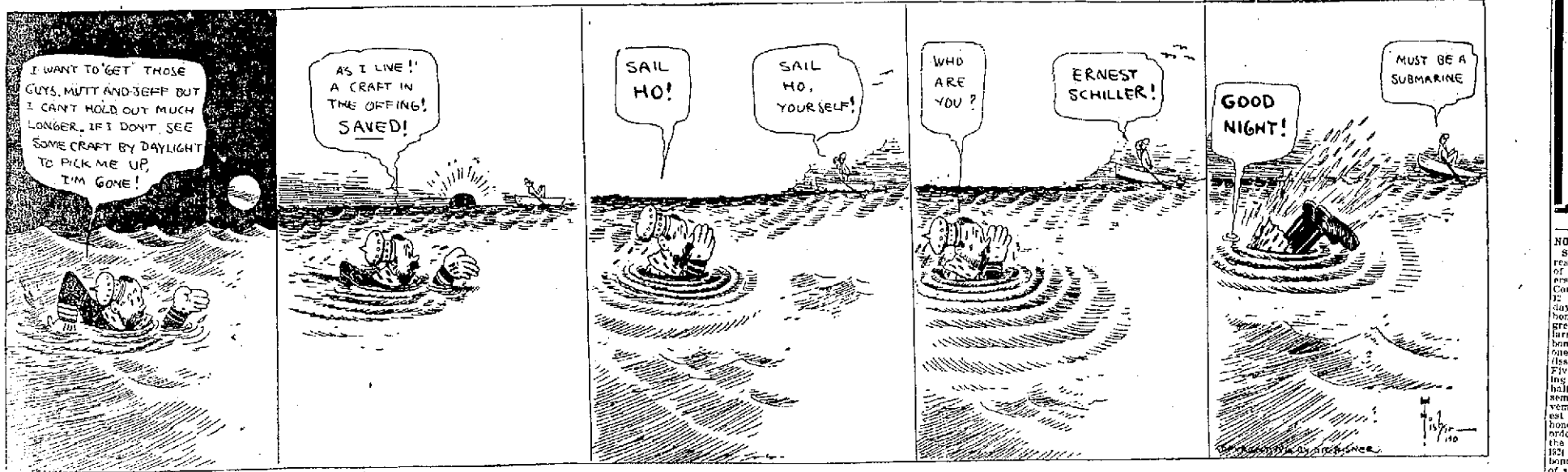
Conditional bids will not be considered. All bids must state the number of bonds bid for, the gross amount of the bid and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids for the aggregate amount must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank in Ohio for One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1750.00) and all bids for a part of the bonds must be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to five per cent (5%) of the aggregate par value of the bonds bid for. Said checks must be made payable to the clerk and treasurer of the said School District upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will receive and pay for the bonds awarded to him upon delivery thereof. Said check or checks to be retained and become the property of said School District if said condition is not fulfilled, otherwise to be returned to the bidder.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Communications may be addressed to the undersigned:

J. F. SHELDON,  
Clerk and Treasurer of the Wheelersburg Rural School District, Wheelersburg, Ohio.

Apr. 6-16 Wed.

### MUTT AND JEFF



### Gosh! Doesn't An April Shower Feel Good?



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## Miss Dolly Wise

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late. If they would do this it would save many a heart-ache for all concerned.

South Webster—Miss Dolly Wise—Will the carpet sweepers keep rag carpets clean the same as rugs or woolen carpets? I wish to purchase one if they do! What is Eva Tanguay's full address? What is the address of a company or an attorney interested in patents? What is their fee? Hoping to see your answer to these soon.

SEEKING WISDOM.  
I should think a sweeper would work on a rag carpet the same as any other kind. If you want something to clean the carpet better, get a vacuum cleaner. An ordinary sweeper does not take up the dust like a vacuum. I do not know fair Eva's address. A patent is obtained by a petition to the Commissioner of Patents, accompanied by a description, including drawings and a model, when the inventions will admit of these. A fee of \$16 is required when the application is made, and a further fee of \$20 when the patent is issued. Postage on models is at the rate of one cent per ounce. The time required to procure an allowance of a patent averages from 6 weeks to two months. The patent office is located at Washington, D. C.

Dear Miss Wise—Can you give me a light menu for a buffet lunch. I am entertaining soon for a bride and groom and had thought of having sandwiches, olives, potato salad and individual baskets filled with mints. I should like to add something to this, but don't know just what. I also want to serve ice cream and cake.

BLUE EYES.  
Why not have dainty olive sandwiches and substitute chicken salad (or veal, which cannot be told from chicken) for the potato salad. Mints and olives are quite in keeping with these things, and ice cream and cake, and perhaps coffee would be an appropriate finish for your little supper. Salted almonds might be added, too.

Dear Miss Wise—Please tell me what is good for hang nails? Also what causes them? MILDRED.  
Hang nails are caused by neglect to push the skin back from the nails each time you wash your hands. Soak the fingers in warm, soapy

water, then when the skin around the nails is quite soft, push back the skin with the towel or with an orangewood stick, such as is in every manicuring outfit. If you haven't this, take a wooden tooth-pick. Never use a knife or scissors, as it injures the tender part of the finger nail. Keep the skin pushed back and loose about the nails, and you will have no more hang nails. A little cold cream or vaseline rubbed about the base of the nails will help.

Dear Miss Wise—I have several

## SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Moore, of Harrisonville, entertained with an April Fool party Saturday evening. The time was spent in playing games and music, after which delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Grace Burk, Irene Osmer, Pearl Riggs, Adeline Riggs, Edith Moore, Ruby Ball, Margaret Orrison, Helen Wheeler, Anna Moore, Mr. Clarence Cunningham, John Monroe, Bernard Porter, Dave French, Minford Osmer, Carl Osmer, Vernon Orrison, Roy Oberly, Elza Oberly, Lowell Holt, Raymond Moore, Jim Peach, S. Duncan, Earl Munson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, of 1928 Twentieth street, entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner Tuesday Rev. O. D. Mapie and wife, of Michigan, Prof. G. D. Gorrell, of St. Mary's, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Newman and children, Paul and Pauline.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grandview Avenue church will meet in business and social session Thursday, at 2 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Emma Haegard, Gallia street. We want every member present. By order of the secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Poits and two children, Edna and Mildred, of Newark, O., have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McElhaney, of Offshore street.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 12th  
Frank Basler, of Cove, O., has returned to his home after a week's visit with his daughter, Mrs. John Stoitzinger, of Offshore street.

ingham dresses to make for my little girl, but want to set the color first. How shall I do this?  
A MOTHER.  
Pink, brown and black—two cups of salt to one gallon of water.  
Blue—One-half cup of salt to one gallon of cold water.  
Green, purple, lavender—One table spoon of sugar of lead to one gallon of water.  
Mixed goods, blue, green, brown—One cup of turpentine to one gallon of water.

Sciotoville—Dear Dolly—Is it against the law to use a fish trap in Ohio river and small rivers and streams, and who is the game warden for this district?  
B. M.  
It is not against the law to use a trap, or seine, to catch fish in the Ohio river. Judge Harry Ball is the Fish and Game Warden for Scioto county.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Cross and children, Fritz and Martha May, of Offshore street, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cross, of Summit street, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pleasant F. Cross, of Sciotoville.

Unique invitations are out announcing an Easter whirl given at the home of Mrs. J. E. Taylor, 2014 Baird avenue, on Thursday, the 6th, at 2 o'clock, for the benefit of the Trinity Woman's Home Missionary Society. The assisting hostesses are Mesdames J. T. Breece, Harvey O. Lindsey, G. W. Chabot, Gilbert Monroe and V. S. Taylor.

The application of Mrs. B. Damon of John street was received and favorably balloted upon at the weekly session of the Daughters of Rebekah Tuesday evening. Mrs. Damon will be initiated at the next meeting. Mrs. Helen Journey, Mrs. Elizabeth Lutz and Miss Anna West were named as a social committee to make arrangements for the supper that will follow the business session next Tuesday evening.

Miss Erma Schirrmann delightfully entertained the members of the B. R. L. last evening with a theatre party at the Lyric, followed by refreshments at Malavazos. Those present were Misses Eloise Hicks, Helen Hoss, Helen Rowe, Grace Adams, Ruby Heberlein, Erma Schirrmann, Ladora White and

Anna Tracy. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Ladora White.

Twelve members of All Saints' Frances Badger Guild met in sewing session yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Frost Davis, on New Fifth street. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Maria Bridges.

Mrs. O. T. Heberlein had as guests at dinner yesterday Mrs. J. C. McDyer, of Seventh street, and mother, Mrs. Nellie McDyer, of Ashland, Ky.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Swabby, with Mrs. Hopper assisting hostess.

The Lookout committee of the Christian Endeavor of the Central Presbyterian church met Monday evening at the home of Miss Clara Richter, on Market street. Refreshments were served after the business. Miss Jean Bihlman, of Sixth street, will be hostess at the next meeting.

The Misses Mary and Tamzin Pursell, who have been spending the winter at Tarpon Springs and St. Petersburg, Florida, will go this week to Elton, Florida, where they will visit a cousin, Mrs. Leighton Middleton, and expect to return home the last of April.

Mrs. R. B. Cunningham was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Finch Club, at her home on John street, where all members were present. The game was followed by a dainty repast.

The Second Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society met yesterday afternoon at the church. The new officers appointed the different committees and the society was divided into five squads. Plans were made to raise a mile of pennies.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Schwartz, president, the other officers, Mrs. E. L. Manning and Mrs. John Ives also being hostesses of the occasion. The old officers were re-elected, as follows:  
President—Mrs. W. H. Schwartz.  
Vice-President—Mrs. F. L. Manning.  
Secretary—Mrs. John Ives.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Louis Peel.  
Mrs. Peel was elected to fill the place made vacant by Mrs. Dunning, who moved to Michigan.

Arrangements were made to hold a Kensington and experience social at the home of Miss Margaret Miller. Each member will earn a dollar before that time and will tell how the money was earned.

Mrs. John Stir was hostess at last evening's meeting of Miss Rose Kiefer's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school, at her home on Eighteenth street, where there were thirteen present. Mrs. James Miller, mother of the hostess, was a guest. After the regular business a guessing contest was indulged in. The evening ended with a dainty two-course lunch. Those present were as follows: Mesdames Charles Krick and baby Jack Hartlage, Homer Lurvey, David Bertram, Misses Lena Thompson, Mary Davis, Mary Heiser, Fannie Cole, Rose Kiefer, Jessie Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Johnson, of Fifth street, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Esther Whitlow, at Hartwell, a suburb of Cincinnati.

The Bethany class of the Fourth Street Sunday school enjoyed a meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. W. L. Clauson, on New Sixth street, where there were fifteen members present. Arrangements were made to give \$15 to the new church building fund.

Mrs. Charles Shoemaker was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Young Matrons' club at her home on Waller street. Art needlework was followed by dainty refreshments.

Mrs. C. F. Fisher entertained eighteen guests last evening as a surprise to her sister, Miss Lucy Scott, whose birthday came on that day. The party was successfully planned by Mrs. Fisher. A delicious four-course dinner was served at 8 o'clock, the table being adorned with American Beauty roses, a gift of a friend from St. Louis. Miss Scott was also the recipient of many other dainty gifts.

The West Portsmouth W. C. T. U. will meet at the Woman's Club parlors Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The program theme will be "Sabbath Observance."  
Devotional—Mrs. Lillian Hood.  
Readings—Extracts from the State President's Address—Mrs. Hughes—Mrs. Emma Dennison.  
Music.  
Reading—Six or Seven—Which?—Mrs. C. O. Coverston.  
Discussion, Are Christians Responsible for Sabbath Desecration?—Members.  
All members are urged to be present.

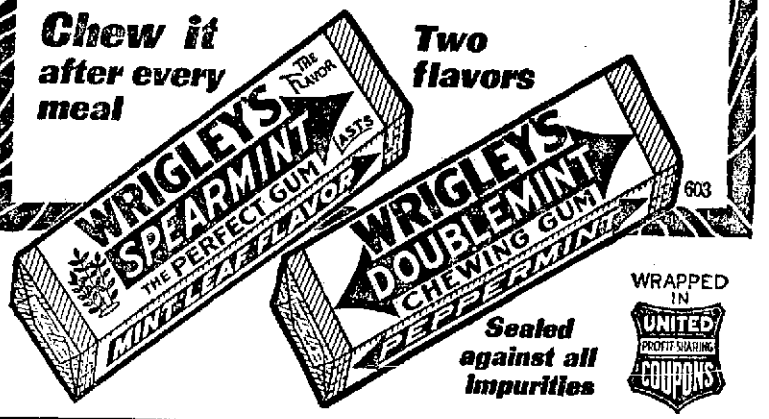
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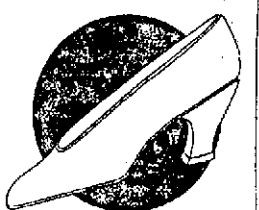
DAYTON, OHIO, Mrs. Thomas Johnson, 1634 Germantown Street:—  
"My little boy was taken with a severe case of croup a few weeks ago, and after trying everything I knew without much relief, my drug-gist gave me a jar of Vick's Vapo-Rub, which I used with splendid results. I also find it a fine remedy for headache, and shall always keep it in my home hereafter."

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The Mizpah class of the Fourth Street Methodist church met in regular session on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Clara Blomeyer, with Mrs. George Carroll as assisting hostess. The evening was spent in social chat and art needlework. At 8:30 the business session was held. The president, Miss Sadie Bittner, reading the scripture lesson, after which the class song, "Help Somebody Today," was sung. The Lord's prayer was repeated in unison. This class has created great enthusiasm in the new church which will be erected in the near future on Franklin avenue and Logan streets. Thirty dollars were the proceeds of this meeting, which were donated and earned in various ways by the members in the past month, and was most satisfactory to all. At the close of the business session there was a surprise in store for all. Three living models, who have been scouring foreign countries for the past few months, in their grandeur, showing the latest creations of the day, paraded before their gaze. Mrs. George Helt presided at the piano, playing beautiful strains of various love songs, while the models ascended from the east living-room, through the dining-room, into the west parlor. Quite a few orders were taken for evening gowns at this time. While refreshments were served, Mrs. Martha Beasley held the guests spell-bound with beautiful selections on the Victrola. All departed at a late hour. The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. S. Fleming, 807 Washington street.

The Bigelow Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society held a large meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bruce Hoobler. The hostesses were Mesdames Hoobler, Bergen, Davis, Holmes, Plummer, Thomson, Wells, Wendelken, Mary Brock, Bertha Hastings, Chloa Figgins, Eunice Kent, Lola Nagel, Anna Williams, Emma Sikes, Loren Yost, Bees Turner, and the children, Paul and Gerald Figgins, Ruth Stewart, Louise Brock, Florence Nagel, Joe Brant, little Wilma Yost.

A Story of the Mito Box—Mrs. A. J. McFarland.  
The Fourth Chapter of Missions in Action—Mrs. Earl Lawson.  
Description of the Nine Hospitals Run by the W. H. M. S.—Mrs. Chris Heer.

Piano—Mrs. Sallie Waite.  
Vocal Duet—Little Elizabeth and Carolyn Nye.

Miss Amelia Wilhelm will entertain Friday evening with a card party, honoring Miss Margaret Apple, who will be married to Mr. Roy Wilsee the last of this month.

The Fourth Street Mothers' Club will meet Friday afternoon, at 3:30, at the Fourth street school.

Mrs. Loren Yost entertained Mrs. Bees Turner's class of the Methodist Sunday school, of Sciotoville, Tuesday afternoon, with a Kensington at her home in Sciotoville. Needlework was followed by a lunch of chicken sandwiches, pickles and coffee. The favors were blue bells, so pretty at this time of the year. In serving the lunch Mrs. Yost was assisted by Mrs. Sikes and Mrs. Bees Turner. Those present were: Mesdames Norma Stewart, Belle Dever,

Jonnie Dever, Anna Creamer, Laura Hood, Katherine White, Elizabeth Clark, Serena Shump, Lucie Mahaffey, Mary Frick, Martha Price, Ella Boren, Hattie Brown, Bert Brant, Mary Brock, Bertha Hastings, Chloa Figgins, Eunice Kent, Lola Nagel, Anna Williams, Emma Sikes, Loren Yost, Bees Turner, and the children, Paul and Gerald Figgins, Ruth Stewart, Louise Brock, Florence Nagel, Joe Brant, little Wilma Yost.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Irving, of Spokane, Wash., are expected soon to visit Mrs. Irving's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bolant, of Sciotoville, and sister, Mrs. Orlo Hark, of Ninth street.

Mr. Thomas Bussey, of Columbus, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Hattie Bussey, at the Havesotte farm.

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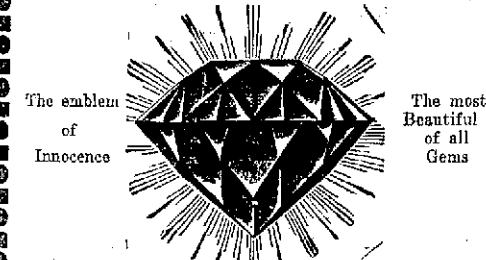
After remaining out for five minutes, the jury which heard the trial of James Berry, who was indicted recently for rape and incest on six counts, returned a verdict yesterday afternoon, finding him guilty. Judge Thomas, common pleas court, sentenced Berry to an indeterminate term in the Ohio penitentiary.

## Nervy Thief Grabs Woman's Purse Near 2nd Presbyterian Church; Escapes In Darkness

To be robbed within a few minutes after they had alighted from a train was the exciting experience of Mrs. John Loneragan, of New York, and Mrs. Charles Stocklin, of Philadelphia, former Portsmouth women, who arrived here for a visit to their aunt, Mrs. Amanda Molster, of No. 1412 Second street, about 7:30 Tuesday evening.

When the two sisters, who were formerly Misses Muriel and Mabel Basklow, reached the corner of Ninth and Waller streets, they first thought of taking a taxi, but concluded that after riding in a warm chair car from Columbus, where they had visited a sister, Mrs. Charles Woods, a walk in the fresh air would do them good. They accordingly started south on Waller. Just as they got in front of the Second Presbyterian church, a tall, slender fellow, wearing a dark suit and cap, who evidently had followed them, suddenly seized Mrs. Loneragan's

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CHAPTER ELEVEN OF

## Maccabees Held Fine Big Meeting

One of the best attended meetings on record was held by the Women's Benefit Association of the Maccabees Tuesday evening, the "Roll Call and Home Coming" meeting bringing out a number of members who had not attended meetings for some time. As the roll was called each member responded with a verse appropriate to the order. A short business session was held. Letters were read from a number of out of town members unable to be present. Out of town officers expected to be present failed to arrive and short talks for the good of the order were made by different members. One application was so received and will be balloted upon at the next meeting. The last half of the evening was given over to the supper and social affair. Refreshments of coffee, sandwiches and doughnuts were served. The social committee consisted of Mrs. Sarah Warnock, Mrs. Mary Hobartetter, Mrs. Harriet Martin and Miss Mabel Harrison.

## Capacity Of Mill Will Be Increased

With the completion of the new soaking pits being installed in the plant Wednesday. More ingots will be handled and this will result in more billets for other departments of the plant. The soaking capacity of this department will be increased 25 percent, it was stated at other week.

## BIDS OF LOCAL FIRMS

According to the Wellston Sentinel the firm of James and Pfeiffer, of Portsmouth, submitted a bid for the construction of the new school building that is to be erected in Hamden. The firm's bid on the contract as a whole was \$15,328.50. Schmidt and Watkins, of this city, on the heating and ventilating, submitted a bid of \$4,110. The General Service Company of this city, turned in a bid of \$5,100 on the heating and ventilating and Joseph Lovinger's bid was \$4,100. The contract for the new building will be awarded to the lowest bidder today.

## TO IMPROVE STORE WILL RESIDE IN CITY

John Rottinghaus in addition to the improvements already made to the Rottinghaus business properties on Market street is planning still further changes for the next few months. The grocery part of the business will be moved to the north or present ware room. A modern elevator will also be installed and the various rooms connected with archways.

**Indoor Baseball Game**  
Henry Frowine, who is running an Indoor Baseball machine in fronton, will take a team of crack players from that city to Ashland Wednesday night and a match indoor game will be staged in the Kentucky city.

**In New Home**  
Chester Riggles, popular manager of the Wolf Clothing company, moved Tuesday from 630 Fifth street to 630 Fourth street.

**Are In Jackson**  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Baesman, of No. 314 Fourth street, went to Jackson, O., Tuesday, to look after their property interests there.



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## YOUTH ACCUSED OF USING KNIFE ON NEWMAN CAUGHT

Harrison, better known as "Nip" Clifford, the North End youth, who the police say is the person who stabbed Ernest Newman, aged 17, just over the heart Saturday night, was captured in Cincinnati, Tuesday evening. Clifford was caught by Cincinnati police just as he alighted from a freight train. Police Chief Henry Clark expected to go to Cincinnati some time Wednesday to bring him back to Portsmouth. He is about 20 years old and a son of Min Clifford. Young Newman continues doing nicely at the home of his parents, No. 718 Second street.

## HORSES ARE INOCULATED

"Pink eye" has developed among the live stock of the Interstate Transfer company. Fifty of the company's horses were inoculated by Drs. Jos. Gill and E. P. Pieper, veterinary surgeons, Tuesday.

## Jasper Woodmen Will Initiate

Roy McElhany, district manager of the Woodmen of the World, will leave Wednesday evening for Jasper, where he will attend a large class initiation of the Woodmen Camp at that town. On Saturday and Sunday, Mr. McElhany will attend a big gathering and a regimental meeting of the order which will be held in Dayton. Several local Woodmen will probably make the trip to Dayton.

**In Cincinnati**  
Mrs. Lila Johnson, of the local Rescue Home, left Tuesday for Cincinnati on a short business trip.

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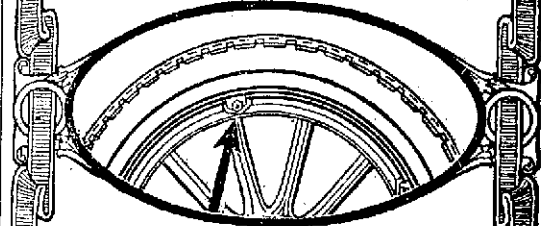
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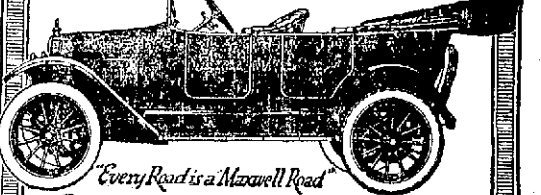


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## CONTRASTS AND CONTRARIES

From the ugly, rough oyster shell comes the priceless pearl and from rude, ignorant lips come some of the most picturesque things in language. Take this example and sample, which we find in a telegraph report from the camp of our soldiers in Mexico and spoken by an old negro sergeant, when asked what he thought of the country: "I have been in many lands, but in this part of Mexico there are more rivers and less water, more cows and less milk, and further to look and less to see, than in any country I have ever known." "Could speech draw a more vivid and graphic picture than that? Why one can see the vast reaches of sands that fill the river beds, instead of water, the scrawny, tick bitten cattle, the desolate waste of hill and valley brown and drear. Yes, it is more graphic than a painting, because a voice gives it being and place. Through the sun that glimmers and scorches in day, through the fantastic shadows of the moonlight, that nip and chill at night, we can see our soldiers, our own blood and kin, relentlessly driving on, over on, in that most thrilling of all pursuits, a man hunt. We can see the quarry, a human being once of power and prestige, riding boldly and gaily at the head of thousands, now a thing pursued, hunted, quite alone, tired, wounded, mayhap dodging from ravine to hill and in every vagrant shadow that wavers from cactus and shrub, taking the form of some victim, mockingly pointing his hiding to avenging foe.

We tremble every time congress thinks about investigating something or somebody, for we know that another battalion of press agents will get on the firing line and begin bombarding the papers with reams of free stuff, both pro and con. Mr. Charles M. Schwab, who is making so much money with his Bethlehem Steel Company that he has to hire two steam shovels to scoop in his profits, in the latest joiner to the scheme to get something for nothing from the poor newspapers. His press agent is firing twice a day letters setting forth the virtues of privately owned armor plants as against those owned by the government. If Mr. Schwab would only let us get at those profits with a family coal bucket, we would be willing to print some of his arguments. Otherwise we will try to earn an honest penny by carefully saving his contributions and selling them for scrap paper.

On the 25th day of April we are to have primaries for the selection of delegates to the state and national conventions. It is hoped that there will be a very large vote cast by members of both parties in order to show that the people are alive to the responsibilities of self government. Each party should cast at least 1,500 votes in Scioto county.

We sometimes think that the weather sharp fails to take into account this garden spot of the world when he makes up his guess. Else why does our own particular climate so often give the short and ugly word to that which has been predicted.

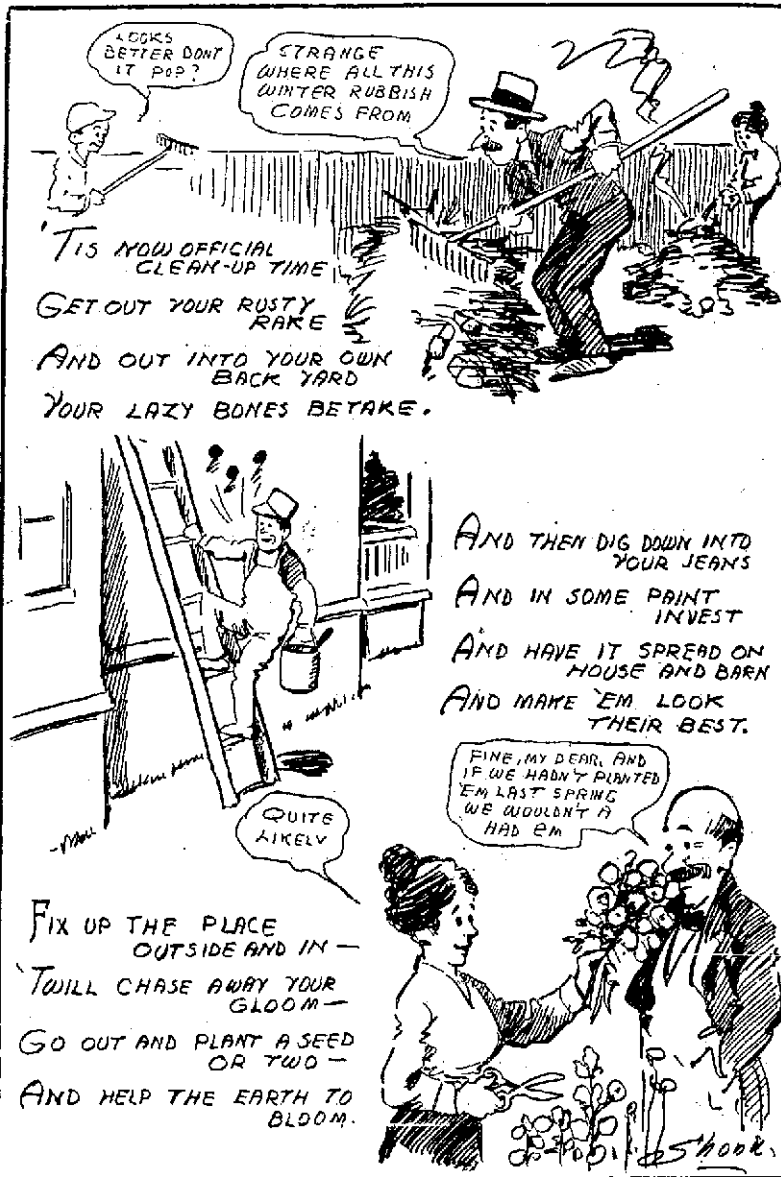
State Printer Cross, who sojourned briefly in this village as a journalist, has "fired" all his own kith and kin and his wife and her folks from the state pay roll. There is nothing like doing a man's duty when you see it, especially when a hard campaign is breaking out.

Editor E. A. Crawford seems to have gotten the better of that argument with his old time enemy State Printer Cross. The latter had to let all his relatives out and besides is facing a little investigation on the side.

Villa may be some fighter and runner, but as diplomat he is nil, else would he have had affidavits ready that Carranza pulled off the Columbus raid to put him in bad.

If they prove themselves but April showers they will not amount to much.

## CLEAN UP, PAINT UP, FIX UP



## ONWARD AND UPWARD

Analysis of the steel and iron business, for the first quarter of the year, was given out Monday. It proved to be by far the most encouraging since the revival in these industries began to be notable a year ago. Of a truth, all previous records for operations past, present and future were so far exceeded as make this a distinctive date for coming reckonings. Mills are being run even far beyond their estimated capacity and such is the volume of orders on hand that no slackening of the pace is thought of before the end of next year. This, of course, is a most remarkable condition and altogether gratifying, but its most stable feature is that domestic specifications have run so far ahead of foreign as to make the latter in a manner insignificant. Railroad and heavy structural demands are heaviest, though there are big orders in other lines, notable so in ship building. Reports are that foreign governments are ready to make contracts for munitions, locomotives, and trucks, along with big purchases of wheat, horses, meat and railroad ties, but just how these are to be met in reasonable time is more of a problem than securing the contracts.

## Woopla!

Chairman Jones says our good young governor is a Corwin, a Chase, a Sherman, a Foraker, a Fairbanks, a Burton, all rolled into one and then some added for his own distinctive individuality. What the good young governor thinks Chairman Jones is rolled from we may surmise in the fact that he wouldn't even give him the appointee for liquor commissioner in his own county of Jackson.

The gent who said our Republican friends were organizing a club to get in trim for a row, sure knows things. The Daugherty-Herrick contest already promises to be a first class mugging up.

Measuring the rumors on the street by the report given out by the Steel Company on the purchase of Idlewild property, we conclude it supplies a striking illustration of building a mountain out of a mole hill.

Why is this spring different from several others—there hasn't been a word, so far, about that Cincinnati-to-Pittsburg traction line.

Having bidden the Ohio a hearty good bye we are pained to see her departing so slowly.

General Pershing is from Missouri. Enough said.

We have wondered how Grand Duke Nicholas came to be esteemed such a brilliant military genius. We have the explanation, through the not intended but still kindly offices of the Portsmouth, Virginia Star. In a glowing panegyric of Nick the Stars says he has fought more pitched battles than all the other generals on all sides combined. That must mean, of a verity, it can't mean anything else than half his battles were fought against armies that either did not exist, or else had no commander. A sort of heads-I-win tails-you-lose campaign. No wonder Nick licked 'em.

When one reads of the wild alarms spreading along the Mexican border and the demand for more troops, he wonders what has become of the bad men that are supposed to infest that region.

If the repair of the reservoir is going to cost \$80,000, why not build a new one somewhere else where it will stay "set?"

A medical expert explains the fact, that only 11 men out of 547 in a New York city, would accept employment, on the hypothesis that most of them are mentally abnormal. That suits us exactly and explains how it is as the warm sun begins to peek forth.

Col. Roosevelt seems to think the country has been allowed to run down so sadly in the last seven years that we should think he'd hesitate at his age to take hold of it and try to build it up.—Ohio State Journal.

Whenever he starts in to count up his political friends these days, Mr. Bryan feels as lonesome as a European nation that hasn't gone to war.—Anaconda Standard.

Maybe that low, rumbling sound you hear is Dicky-Hobson cranking up—Macon Telegraph.

If the bedroom were surrounded with hooks Pa would still leave his pajamas where they fall when he steps out of them.—Detroit Free Press.

Russia is putting another five million men in the field. There is one thing about the Russian, he doesn't mind a bit how often he is killed.

We never have gotten the impression from reading the hourly press bulletins issued from the state auditor's office that Mr. Auditor Donahy was mad at himself.

Silver has gone up and so will the silver-tongued orator also be going up—on the stump.

## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O.O. MCINTYRE.

New York, April 5—Jean Havez, the song writer, has been touring the West with his wife, Cecil Cunningham, an actress. While he was in Denver he heard of a comedian who resigned from his company because he had received no salary for fifteen weeks.

When he complained, the manager declared that he paid too great heed to trifles. The comedian retorted that he was done with the theatrical business forever and informed the members of the company, with show of jubilation, that he was going out and get a job in Denver tending bar.

Fortwith he strutted out of the theatre majestically, only to learn that Denver had gone dry January 1.

Omen note—Next to Charles

Burnham's office in the Gaiety theatre building, a young woman named

Wince has opened a manicure parlor.

From the classic heights of Columbia

University, Robert E. MacAlarney,

city editor of the Tribune, brings a

story of how some of the students find

the modern trend of the news too rapid

to keep up with.

"I'm sorry Frank Moran didn't

win," declared one long-haired esthetic

looking student on the campus. "Some-

one ought to be able to restore the title

to the white race."

"White race?" howled his companion,

an athletic young man in high trousers,

a tooth-brush mustache and squirrel

teeth. "Where do you get that stuff? Don't

you know yet the present champion is a

white man?"

"No," confessed the other apologetically.

"I really don't have time to keep track

of those wrestlers."

Jimmy Hare, the red-headed Fenian,

who has taken photographs all over the world

for magazines and newspapers, is back from

Europe. He brought back all of his possessions

except his photographic plates.

"They wouldn't let me bring them," is the

only explanation he made. Ware are different

now, it seems. The time was when dervish

Jimmy Hare could photograph any war pictures

he desired.

Restaurants of the unique type prosper out of the beaten paths in New York, but they become ambitious and want to get in the glare of Broadway—and they fail. Three went into bankruptcy last week.

One little French restaurant, which made a fortune for its owner, changed management recently. The new manager wanted to stir things up, so he tore down the building next door, installed a dancing floor, inserted big ads in the newspaper, and the people came for just two weeks and then it failed.

Diners out in New York like the atmosphere of the smaller places, but if they want to spend money and make a showing, they go to the big cafes in the hotels.

Tin-Pan-Alley is in the dumps. Just a few months ago when the "Mother" song made a fortune, the song writers decided that the music public wanted sentiment, and then along came "Wake Up America" and hit the popular approval with patriotism. The song made a fortune in two weeks and the sentimental songs are being shelved and now almost any music publisher is on the hunt of patriotic airs.

Lytic writers are in demand, but the field for music composers is rather limited, as all the big publishing houses have their own staffs of composers just like a newspaper. These men study the public taste and the publishers say they are better fitted to write the music than those on the outside looking in.

However, almost any song can be put over on Broadway if it is rendered by a popular song bird.

## Changes Jobs.

William P. Stevens, who for past four years, has been employed as a clerk in Bruch & Hurlst's Gallia street, grocery store, has resigned. On next Monday he will enter the employ of B. F. Stewart, who conducts a grocery on Young street and Vinton avenue.

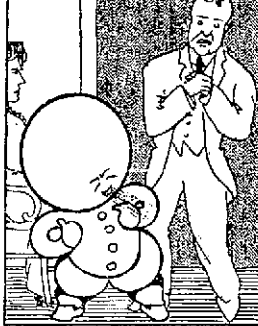
Every day that the TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

## Political Announcement

For Congress Subject to Democratic Primary  
**A. G. TURNIPSEED**  
Practicing Attorney, West Union, Adams County.  
I have never held office. Adams county has had only three congressmen in her history and had no candidate last year.  
A. G. TURNIPSEED.

## GOOPS

By GELETT BURGESS



## Samuel Celery

Ker-chew! Ker-chew! How it displeases

His friends when Sammy Celery sneezes!

He never even tries to hide

The sneeze, or turns his head aside.

He is a Goop, and his Ker-Chew!

Makes me dislike him—wouldn't you?

Don't Be A Goop!

There Hain't No Limit To Sweet Grass Progress

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## About Grown People

Grown folks are very queer, I think.

They're clever and they're wise, But still it's mighty hard for us To understand their whys.

Days when I romp and rip and rush,

And let things slip and fall; They say, "No wonder mischief's done—

He's never still at all."

Times when I go off by myself And make no noise, they say, "He's surely up to mischief now, He's been so still today."

Grown folks are very fine, I know But very curious, too, To say the same thing every time, Whichever way I do!

—Nancy Byrd Turner in Harper's Magazine.

## An Editor's Opulence

We are glad to state that since our coming to Dundurn, we have been able to be an exception to the rule in the tradition of printers, and have had a bank account with a little credit balance most of the time. New Year's that balance to our credit in the Northern Bank was 35 cents. We do not wish to boast, but merely show our friends and patrons that we are, financially speaking, a sound institution, and assure them that when they deposit a dollar with us, they may rest contented that it is in safe hands. We pay interest 52 times a year; let us have your deposit.—Dundurn (Saskatchewan) Enterprise.

## Wonder If They're Self-Starters.

The Eight Cylinder girls met at the home of Marguerite Watterson. A short program was given. A very interesting composition was read by Ruth Kline. A short comedy was given by Marguerite Watterson and Louise Rimer. After the program a very dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Allene Smith—Kallida (O.) Record.

## Back To The Limburger

The caviar of the Boston opera season now being practically a thing of the past, the music-loving public will once again settle down to its customary but satisfying diet of the daily round of musical events, with an occasional banquet dish to lend variety and zest.—Los Angeles (Cal.) Times.

## A Real Community Need

When the Board of County Commissioners met for the afternoon session they were confronted by a delegation from the East Side who laid before the board the great need of a bridge on Cliff avenue.—Sioux Falls (S. D.) Journal.

## Some Famous Caps

Thinking. Liberty. Fool's. Night. White. Skull.

—Columbia State.

## Revival of Industry

Mat Muehlberger has taken up his old occupation of loafing at Bethel.—Waverly (Ohio) Watchman.

## Congressional Currealls

Bills in congress, many bills; Everything to cure our ills; 'Tis a pleasant way, indeed, To supply our every need.

—Pittsburgh Post.

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## POLLY AND HER PALS.

## Pete Greets His Pa

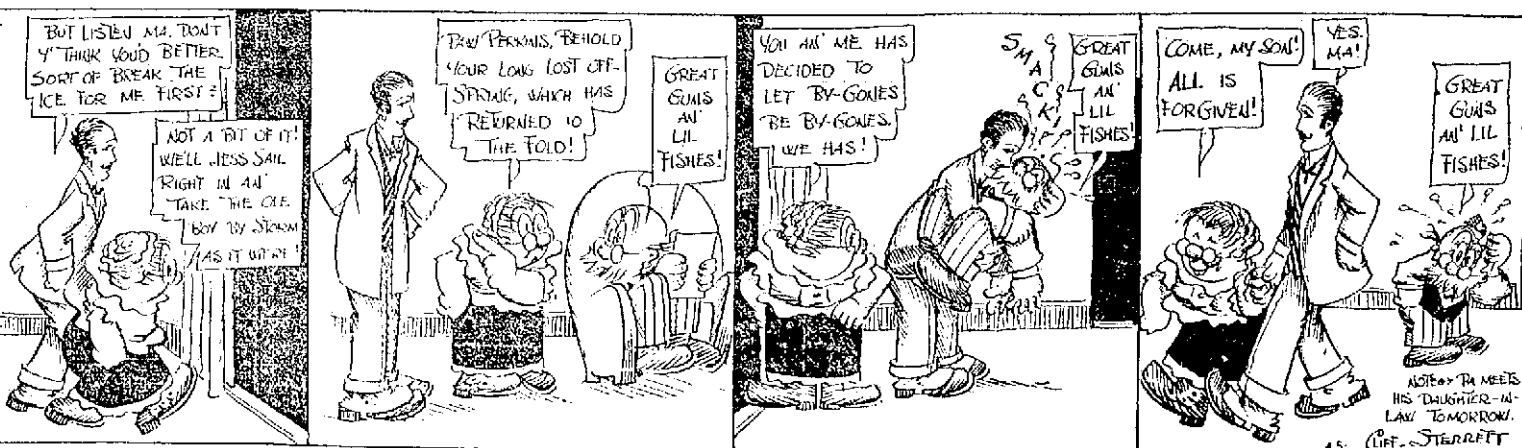
## By CLIFF STERRETT

CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY—

8 yrs. ago POLLY'S BROTHER PETE ELOPED AND WENT ON THE STAGE.

PA HAD MENTIONED HIS SON'S NAME SINCE, BUT MA FORGAVE ALL YESTERDAY—

FOR THE FURTHER ADVENTURES OF THE PRODIGAL SON WE REFER YOU TO THE FOLLOWING SKETCHES—





# THE NOON EXTRA

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ELEVEN O'CLOCK (Associated Press Leased Wire) PORTSMOUTH, OHIO WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1916. Established April 20, 1914. PRICE ONE CENT.

## U.S. CAVALRYMEN SURPRISE VILLA FORCE OF 200 AND KILL 30; TAKE 40 HORSES

### 10TH CAVALRY IN SECOND CLASH WITH BANDIT FOLLOWERS; AMERICANS AGAIN ESCAPE CASUALTIES

San Geronimo, Chihuahua, Mex., April 4--(Via aeroplane to Colonia Dublan, and by wireless to Columbus, N. M.)--Two hundred American cavalrymen under Colonel W. C. Brown, Tenth cavalry, defeated an equal force of Villa followers in the second engagement of the campaign at Aguas Calientes, 30 miles north of Guerrero, on April 1.

This report was brought to General Pershing late Tuesday by two Mexican ranchmen who said that the Mexican forces lost 30 men and 40 horses while the Americans suffered no casualties.

San Antonio, Texas, April 5--Surprised during their siesta, one of the groups of Villa's force driven from Guerrero was defeated Saturday by a squadron of the Tenth cavalry under Colonel W. C. Brown, according to information secured by General Pershing and forwarded by him to General Funston late Tuesday.

In this engagement, the second the American troops have had with Villa's men, the bandits' loss was estimated at from 30 to 40 killed. No mention of American loss was made.

Villa's men, it is said, appeared wholly unsuspecting of the presence of an enemy a minute before they were attacked.

It was about noon when Colonel Brown brought his cavalry within easy range. The Mexicans were lying about the place, many of them asleep and all their horses were grazing, in many cases, some distance from the men. Details of the action were not told, but it is said that besides those killed, the Americans captured an equal number of horses. General Pershing added that his report of the engagement lacked confirmation, though his credence of the news was indicated by the fact that he transmitted it to General Funston.

El Paso, Texas, April 5--The eyes of the border were turned north today, anxiously looking for some indication from Washington that an arrangement had been made with General Carranza permitting the use of the Mexican railroad by the American expeditionary force.

Now that it is definitely known that Villa is fleeing south far ahead of his American pursuers, there is a true opinion here that on the railroad hinges General Pershing's main, if not only hope of capturing the bandit.

It has ceased to become a question of using the Northwestern railroad.

### WEATHER

Ohio--probably fair tonight and Thursday.

### WAGES INCREASED

St. Louis, Mo., April 5--A wage increase of ten per cent has been given to all employees of the Liggett and Meyers Tobacco Company.

### DEMOCRATS MADE GAIN IN CHICAGO

Chicago, April 5--Complete returns today from yesterday's aldermanic election show that the Democrats made gains throughout the city and that they out-voted the Republicans by more than 20,000. The Democrats made a net gain of three members in the new city council. The election was fought out on purely local issues with the suicide of Dr. Theodore Sachs, former head of the municipal tuberculosis sanitarium on Sunday, providing a potent factor in the defeat of the administration candidates. While the Democrats made a net gain of three in the council, they did not win party control of the body. Their vote in the council will give 32 as against 29 in the old. The Democrats yesterday elected 21 aldermen, the Republicans 13, and the Socialists 1, the remaining 10 votes in the new body being those of holdover members.

### STIRRING TIMES AT K. C.

Kansas City, Mo., April 5--George H. Edwards, Republican, yesterday was elected mayor of Kansas City, over Henry L. Jett, Democratic incumbent.

Yesterday's election, during which acting chief of police Thomas J. Flahine and James S. Lapsey and Fred A. Lamb, police commissioners, were sent to jail on charges of contempt of court was the most turbulent election Kansas City has seen in years.

### REPUBLICANS VICTORIOUS

Clarkburg, W. Va., April 5--Practically the entire Republican ticket was elected here yesterday. George H. Gordon, the present mayor, defeated Robert B. Phillips, Democrat, for mayor by 400 majority. The following are the winners, all being Republicans. Mayor, George H. Gordon; Police Chief, Harry L. Brooks; City Clerk, Will H. Cole; Treasurer, L. Harper Rogers; Street Superintendent, Edward J. Doyle; Water Commissioner, Truman J. Lynch; Assessor, John D. Owens; School Commissioner, Robert Morris; Councilmen, First ward, John A. Flaherty, (Dem.); Second ward, Calvin Wilson; Third ward, Darius S. Lawman; Fourth

### YOUTHFUL ROBBER MAKES GOOD HAUL ON LIMITED TRAIN; JUMPS OFF AND ESCAPES

Cheyenne, Wyo., April 5--A sheriff's posse today continued the search east of Cheyenne for the robber who last night held up the west bound Overland Limited on the Union Pacific five miles east of here. According to available reports the robber secured a wallet containing \$548, contributed by E. H. O'Brien, of San Francisco. The robber, described as a youth, with a revolver in each hand, swung on to the observation car just outside Cheyenne. Seven passengers, two of them women, were confronted with a demand for valuables. The bandit after presenting the porter with the watch he carried, which he said he got in "another robbery" leaped from the train, which was running about 30 miles an hour.

ward, Charles L. Patton; Fifth ward, Dr. W. R. Conaway.

### G. O. P. WON

Benwood, W. Va., April 5--By electing a mayor and seven councilmen the Republicans won a majority of offices at the annual municipal election here. The Democrats elected three members to council. Clark Sprouts, Republican, was re-elected mayor.

### BARNES DELEGATES BEATEN

New York, April 5--Returns from yesterday's primary elections throughout New York state of delegates to the Republican, Democratic and Progressive national conventions and members of state and county committees show a light vote and few contests.

Interest in the Republican primaries centered upon the question whether the old time party organization had cut the vote for Governor Whitman as one of the four delegates at large to the national convention, and thereby lessened his prestige in the coming campaign for renomination. Friends of the governor asserted today that the strong vote cast for Whitman in Buffalo, Syracuse and some of the other cities, was entirely satisfactory to them.

Opponents of William Barnes said they saw in the result of the Republican primaries evidence of a strong opposition to Mr. Barnes' re-election as member of the Republican national committee should he be a candidate for re-election at the Chicago convention. State Chairman Frederick C. Tanner said Barnes delegates were defeated two to one in districts where there were contests.

### WELLSVILLE, O. DRY

Wellsville, O., April 5--The local election held yesterday which was brought about by petitions, presented by the wets, resulted in a victory for the dry forces, with a majority of 142 votes. The years ago the dries won by a majority of 71. The total vote cast was 1,732, the dries receiving 937 and the wets 795.

### EVEN BREAK IN ILLINOIS WET AND DRY VOTE

Chicago, April 5--Practically complete returns today from points where the local option question was voted upon in Illinois indicate that little advantage went to either side as the result of yesterday's election.

Prohibition victories show that between 350 and 400 saloons were eliminated, while towns won by the liquor forces from the dry column will open territory that had more than 250 saloons at the time of the 1912 dry victories. The saloon interests won back the cities of Bloomington, and Carlinville, retained Aurora, Lincoln and Alton and regained about twenty townships scattered over the state.

The Anti-Saloon forces gained Waukegan and Moline, held Elgin and also won a number of townships which had saloons. The greatest victory for the Anti-Saloon interests occurred at Waukegan, where 94 saloons were voted out. The victory for the dry forces there makes all the territory along Lake Michigan from Chicago city limits to the Wisconsin line, a distance of sixty miles, prohibition territory.

### LOADED WITH GRAIN

New Orleans, April 5--The steamship Housatonic of the Housatonic Steamship Company, New York, loaded with grain and flying the American flag, was on her way from this port today for Savona, Italy. The cargo is said to be the first of its kind ever taken from New Orleans under the American flag.

### FRENCH GAIN

(BULLETIN)  
Paris, April 5--The French gained ground north of Gallette wood, northeast of Verdun, in the course of several engagements during the night, the war office announced today.

### MORE SHIPS SUNK

London, April 5--The Spanish steamship Vigo, of 1,137 gross tons, was sunk in the Bay of Biscay by a German submarine, according to a Lloyd's report. The crew was set adrift in a boat and later picked up by the British steamship Polo and taken to Gibraltar. The British steamer Bendow was also sunk with the loss of one of the crew.

The Hague, via London, April 5--The Dutch schooner Elmina Helfa was torpedoed yesterday in the North Sea. The crew has been brought to Noorhinder.

Matched.  
"Did you match that line ribbon for me today, Henry?"  
"Yes, love. It was just the color of the salesgirl's eyes, but they didn't have any more of the ribbon left."--Pittsburgh Press.

### NEW STEEL BARGE READY FOR WORK

Louisville, Ky., April 5--Inco No. 1, the first of a fleet of all-steel, self-propelled barges completed for the Inland Navigation Company, and with which it is expected to revive river traffic, tied up at the Louisville wharf today on her maiden trip. The 200 foot freighter was completed yesterday at the Howard ship yards, Jeffersonville, Indiana, on the Ohio river. Inco No. 1 will burn crude oil and is equipped with wireless. Her cargo will be handled principally mechanically, as other equipment includes a travelling crane, electric winch and self-propelled freight carrying trucks.

### YOUTSEY REFUSED A PARDON

Frankfort, Ky., April 5--Henry Youtsey, convicted 18 years ago of complicity in the assassination of Governor Goebel, and sentenced to life imprisonment, has been refused a pardon by the state board of prison commissioners.

Raindrops Not What They Seem.  
Raindrops are deceptive things. According to a distinguished meteorologist, the largest drops do not always wet you most, for the simple reason that they are often hollow--in fact, mere bubbles.--London Standard.

## COLUMBIA

STOP---LOOK---LISTEN!

### Railroad Day To-Day

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### "THE PRICE OF HAPPINESS"

A picture that will wipe from your hearts all envy of your rich friends and teach you to know true contentment.

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### "NEARLY A KING"

A big scream

## ARCANA TODAY

12TH CHAPTER TONIGHT ENTITLED

### "GRAFT" "The Milk Battle"

Uncle Sam at Work  
No. 8. Power's Educational

A FUNNY NESTOR COMEDY

### "A Quiet Supper for Four"

# LOCAL TEAM ROLLS FINE SCORES--READY FOR CHARLESTON

## Averaged Better Than 900 To Game Tuesday, Match Game Tonight

That the bowling team chosen to represent the Pelee City in the 17-city championship series between Portsmouth, Huntington and Charleston, is all wool and a yard wide, was demonstrated Tuesday night at the Play House when in two games the team rolled 100 pins, rolling fast and furiously all the way and finishing the two games in 48 minutes. George Wilhelm had the honor of making high score, 724, which he made in his opening game. He came back with 190, giving him an average of 907. Should the locals keep up such a clip there is no question but they will bring home with them that silver trophy. However, the boys realize they will have a hard fight in every game, and they will leave no stone unturned to bring home the honor.

The Charleston team will arrive here Thursday noon and they will battle with the locals at the Play House that evening. "Biddy" Boers sends word that he has recruited a strong team and is anxious his boys will experience little trouble in polishing off the home team. "Biddy" always was an optimistic case, but it is possible he will have to renege his prognostication—or something to that effect.

Manager W. N. Gableman of the Play House, states that he will have 100 folding chairs at the disposal of those who desire to witness the games here.

## TEST SAYS HE WILL PITCH OPENER

"Just tell the boys here that I will be back to pitch the opening game against Mayville. I'm in good shape right now and believe me I am going to throw the book into the Hurley Club." Thus spoke Hubert Test, star twirler of the Ohio State league last season and who is paying a short visit to home folks. Test is now attending the West Virginia Wesleyan College at Buckhannon, W. Va. His team will play Marshall College of Huntington in the last three days of this week and he is figuring on pitching two of the games for this club.

Test has taken on weight and looks to be in prime condition. He has figured prominently in all lines of athletics at West Virginia Wesleyan since entering that school.

## GOSH, JOSH DEVORE IS A REAL CUT UP

It pays to have a sunny disposition. Look what good humor is doing for our old friend, Josh Devore, who managed the Mayville and Chillicothe teams last year and then "managed" to be back in the big show. The Philadelphia Ledger Monday in a baseball story said:

If Manager Moran of the Philadelphia Phillies could carry Josh Devore through the season, the garrulous gardener would be worth his attic salt, even though he never gets into a game, for old Swastika, sage from his qualities as a tailcoat, is a valuable asset in the way of warding off guesses for the laughing matter which Josh is around.

The happy-go-lucky outfielder is incessantly spinning yarns and anecdotes of various players and players, and charging is the usual reward of any comrade who attempts to take liberties with the Chillicothe comedian. The only chance his teammates have of enjoying a joke at Josh's expense is in a practical way, and they wisely take no offense with his tongue.

For instance, the other day Devore was trotting around the park with Chalmers, Bender and Mayer, and on the third lap "Josh" was breathing rather heavily when he passed "Dusty" Rhoades, who was playing in the outfield. Hoping to create a laugh at Devore's expense, "Dusty" made the mistake of inquiring, "What are you breathing for, Josh?" and without slackening his pace, the "futility" outfielder, as he calls himself, rejoined, "To live, you pitiable porcy, to live!" Josh completed the lap, but Chalmers fell in his tracks.

Devore started the hotel clerk recently when, after being informed that the smaller size stationery supply had been exhausted, he gazed at the large proportions of the sheet he held in his hand and remarked, "I could write more than I know on this size sheet."

In a "rum" game the other evening several of his pals attempted to "tag" Josh about his world's series money, and after informing them that he had enough left to enable him to sleep in a feather bed, drive an automobile and put his father on a pension, one of the "kiddies" remarked, "Josh, I never heard your father was shot in the war." Drawing a five which filled his hand, and laying his cards on the board, Josh replied: "Yes, mine was wounded going in and your's was shot coming out."

## Cement Specials Win Three, Ironsides Grab A Couple, Race Is Close And Exciting

that the seasoned campaigners, such as Horner, Spencer and Lloyd were away off their feet. However, he was much pleased with the performance of Messrs. Freund and Hager—two he picked from the discards and who have been showing wonderful improvement.

Out on alleys 2 and 3 the Ironsides won two from the Ivory Knobs, but had one awful time doing so. Only three of the Ivories put in an appearance and they leave their adversaries one awful time. The Ivories copped the last game. The scores speak for themselves:

| TEAM  | W  | L  | Pct. |
|---|----|----|------|
| Rebells   | 24 | 18 | .571 |
| Cement Specials   | 27 | 20 | .731 |
| Clod Hoppers  | 24 | 14 | .633 |
| X Ironsides   | 27 | 15 | .643 |
| Giant Killers   | 24 | 13 | .643 |
| Submarines  | 21 | 11 | .657 |
| Corn Shuckers   | 24 | 12 | .667 |
| Spiders   | 21 | 11 | .657 |
| Ivory Knobs   | 21 | 15 | .583 |
| Bald Eagles   | 24 | 18 | .571 |
| X Standing includes forfeited games—probably games will be rolled over. |    |    |      |

By winning three in a row from the Bald Eagles, on alleys 4 and 5 at the Play House Tuesday evening, the Cement Specials kept themselves in the Masonic League race and are right now on the heels of the Rebels, who will have to win three from the Ironsides and a similar number from the Clod Hoppers. Should the Wursterites falter by losing one of these six games, the Cement Specials will win the second half and will go into the world's series with the Ivory Knobs, winners of the first half. Should the Rebels win all six games they cannot lose the last half. One game lost will mean a tie with the Specials and a series will have to be rolled to decide the winners of the second half.

No phenomenal scores were made last night. George Freund, eminent druggist and all around gentleman, baying the distinction of coping high when he rolled 184. Incidentally, James Hager, equally eminent and equally gentlemanly, was there or close by all evening. J. D. Gravelle, former captain of the Cement Specials, was present to witness the contest, and it is not giving away much of a secret when it is stated that the ex-professor was not at all pleased with the showing of his former teammates. He had expected to see great things, but was surprised to learn

The latest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department.

## XENIA TEAM CHALLENGES

Sporting Editor Times: The Xenia Shamrocks have organized and would like to book games with sixteen and seventeen year old teams of your city.

RUSSELL MUTERSPAW, Mgr. Shamrocks Baseball Team, 210 North Miami Ave., Xenia, Ohio.

## WILL REPORT APRIL 15

Catcher Chuck McDaniels of this city, who recently signed a contract to play with the Huntington team has been ordered to report for spring practice in Huntington on April 12. McDaniels is in good shape and will make Huntington a rattling good backstop.

## BOXING LID IS BLOWN OFF

More boxing clubs are operating in Ohio than ever before. New clubs formed in Marion and Union have their first matches tonight. Cleveland is again staging fights and they are drawing immense crowds.

## STOCKHOLDERS WILL MEET

Huntington, April 5.—The stockholders of the Huntington club will meet sometime this week. The purpose is to elect officers and clear the decks of routine business. Manager De Armond declared that the meeting will probably be held at the Frederick hotel. It was not stated whether the fans will be invited to attend.

Manager De Armond stated that he will attend the opening of the National league at Cincinnati on April 12. After seeing the initial clash of the 16 season he will go to Hamilton for a few days to be with relatives. He will then go to Dayton, O., where he will look over Manager Johnny Nees's second string men. He will probably sign one or two, he declared.

## Reds Beat Senators

The Reds have found a team they can beat. They whalloped the Columbus American Association team on Redland field Tuesday, the final score being 12 to 1. Stanley Dougan, at one time a member of the local team pitched five innings for the Reds and Enmer played part of the game at third for his club.

## Old Punch Is The Best

Jack Dillon, the Hoosier man-killer, says his best punch is as old as the hills.

Dillon says it's a common, ordinary right-hand swing delivered from well back of the shoulder. Once it lands flush the other fellow hears the bugles blowing taps.

## Mollwiz Is Poor Hitter

Zip Mollwitz, of the Reds, doubtless would rank as the greatest of all present-day first basemen were he a 300 hitter.

Zip can field with any of them, and none has more pepper than he. But if he were a strong hitter his fielding would improve.

Old Chas will soon round up his team. And the way they'll play 'twill be a dream; So when you go to see them play Please don't forget your R. & J.

R. and J. Big Havana At Every Stand The Rickey-Johnson Co. Phone 1444-X

## Rookies Hard At It

Scout Billy Doyle's rookies enjoyed a splendid workout in Millbrook Tuesday afternoon. Doyle will have a first class team to send against Fullerton at Millbrook and against the Milwaukee Brewers next week.

The rookies always take their work in earnest and all of them are putting much pep and vim into their daily practice. Doyle has not permitted the players to bat much until they have focused their optics on the old globe.

## Boost For Beers

(Huntington Herald-Dispatch) Despite the fact that Walt Powell, of Charleston, has been picked as the new manager of the Cog City team, Biddy Boers, who held the position last year, will not be pushed out in the cold if rumors afloat along the railro are to be taken for granted. Mayville has not selected its manager yet. Boers is slated for the job, it is stated. Boers is one of the most popular lads in the league. He will make a good catcher for any team and a manager that will keep the Mayville team at the top all of the time.

## GOING TO HUNTINGTON

Huntington, April 5.—Billy Doyle, scout for American league clubs, will be in Huntington during the first days of the training season.

Manager De Armond stated yesterday that Doyle will bring some of his students from the Doyle Baseball school at Portsmouth. Billy Doyle is well known throughout the Ohio State league and has many friends in this city. Doyle and the former owners of the Huntington franchise had a disagreement two years ago and the baseball scout always gave Huntington a wide berth. Doyle is the man who bought Baumgardner for the St. Louis Browns.



### The BOY SCOUTS

wards 1; O. Wolf 1; Sheridan 1. Referee—Graf. Scorer—Kinsey. Timekeeper—Wells.

GRAYS WHITEWASH RECALLS

The Rebels' personal enunciations went glimmering away Tuesday night when they were blanked by the West End Grays by the score of 11 to 0. It was absolutely impossible for the Recall bunch to break through the stone wall defense made by the Gray guards. The game was a hard played one with many fouls. The score:

| Grays  | Recalls   |
|--|-----------|
| Bybee.....RF.....  | R. Liming |
| Edwards.....LF.....  | Pace      |
| Wright.....C.....  | Wright    |
| Evans.....RG.....  | F. Liming |
| Field Goals—Hewitt 3; Bybee 2. Foul Goals—Evans. Referee—Graf. |           |

**HOMESEEKERS' RATES**

March 21, April 4 and 18th

|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Lynchburg, Va.  | \$12.75 |
| Norfolk, Va.    | \$17.40 |
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Ask about special one way rates to the West.

Ticket office corner Second and Chillicothe streets.

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Boys in Gray. Bear Cats vs. Recalls. Trinity vs. Central. The week's scout meetings. Thursday night, troop 1 at First Presbyterian church. Friday night, troop 2 will meet with Scout Russell Williams, 1019 18th St. Troop 4 will banquet at the home of Scoutmaster Youngman. Troop 5 will meet at German Evangelical gym. Troop 6 at Kendall Ave. Baptist church. All scout meetings begin at 7:30 p. m.



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### LEGAL NOTICE—BOND SALE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1916, for the purchase of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) Water Work Time Extension Bonds, dated May 1, 1916, and maturing as follows:

10 bonds \$5,000.00 May 1, 1918.  
 10 bonds \$5,000.00 May 1, 1919.  
 10 bonds \$5,000.00 May 1, 1920.  
 10 bonds \$5,000.00 May 1, 1921.

Each bid must be accompanied by interest at the rate of 4% per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of November and equal to one year at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, and be issued under authority of Resolution Number 224, adopted by the Council of said city on February 16, 1915.

Proposals shall be sealed and addressed "Bids for City of Portsmouth Bonds" and addressed to the City Auditor, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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By order of Council.

LOUIS A. ZUCKER, City Auditor, 2-4 Wells.

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|----------------------|---------|
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## Scout Follows Test

A big league scout followed our team around several days while we were in the south recently to get a line on my pitching. Pitcher Hubert Test said a group of local fans last night. "The scout later learned that I had

## NIX, ON THIS ONE BENNY

New York, April 5.—Benny Leonard, conqueror of Freddy Welch, has been offered a 50-round bout with Charley White, of Chicago, for an \$8000 purse at Denver May 15. The winner is offered a chance to meet Welch, also in Denver, July 4, in a finish bout.

## Bowlers Get Coin

Huntington, April 5.—Manager Carl Ridgely received a check from the secretary of the American bowling congress yesterday for money won by the local bowlers at the recent meet in Toledo. The total won by the locals was seventy-five dollars.

The five men collected \$27.50 for shooting 2650. Biagi and Dunn won \$23.43 with their 1149 pin total and Dunn dug in with \$20.60 for his 613 singles.


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No—He isn't stuttering. He's stumped.

He's just one of the many thousands of Favorite smokers trying to describe the BETTER taste of Favorite Cigarettes.

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## CONTRASTS AND CONTRARIES

From the ugly, rough oyster shell comes the priceless pearl and from rude, ignorant lips come some of the most picturesque things in language. Take this example and sample, which we find in a telegraph report from the camp of our soldiers in Mexico and spoken by an old negro sergeant, when asked what he thought of the country: "I have been in many lands, but in this part of Mexico there are more rivers and less water, more cows and less milk, and further to look and less to see, than in any country I have ever known." "Could speech draw a more vivid and graphic picture than that? Why one can see the vast reaches of sands that fill the river beds, instead of water, the scrawny, tick-bitten cattle, the desolate waste of hill and valley brown and drear. Yes, it is more graphic than a painting, because a voice gives it being and place. Through the sun that glimmers and scorchers in day, through the fantastic shadows of the moonlight, that nip and chill at night, we can see our soldiers, our own blood and kin, relentlessly driving on, ever on, in that most thrilling of all pursuits, a man hunt. We can see the quarry, a human being once of power and prestige, riding boldly and gaily at the head of thousands, now a thing pursued, hunted, quite alone, tired, wounded, mayhap dodging from ravine to hill and in every vagrant shadow that wavers from cactus and shrub, taking the form of some victim, mockingly pointing his hiding to avenging foe.

We tremble every time congress thinks about investigating something or somebody, for we know that another battalion of press agents will get on the firing line and begin bombarding the papers with reams of free stuff, both pro and con. Mr. Charles M. Schwab, who is making so much money with his Bethlehem Steel Company that he has to hire two steam shovels to scoop in his profits, is the latest joiner to the scheme to get something for nothing from the poor newspapers. His press agent is firing twice a day letters setting forth the virtues of privately owned armor plants as against those owned by the government. If Mr. Schwab would only let us get at those profits with a family coal bucket, we would be willing to print some of his arguments. Otherwise we will try to earn an honest penny by carefully saving his contributions and selling them for scrap paper.

On the 25th day of April we are to have primaries for the selection of delegates to the state and national conventions. It is hoped that there will be a very large vote cast by members of both parties in order to show that the people are alive to the responsibilities of self government. Each party should cast at least 1,500 votes in Scioto county.

We sometimes think that the weather sharp fails to take into account this garden spot of the world when he makes up his guess. Else why does our own particular climate so often give the short and ugly word to that which has been predicted.

State Printer Cross, who sojourned briefly in this village as a journalist, has "dred" all his own kith and kin and his wife and her folks from the state pay roll. There is nothing like doing a man's duty when you see it, especially when a hard campaign is breaking out.

Editor E. A. Crawford seems to have gotten the better of that argument with his old time enemy State Printer Cross. The latter had to let all his relatives out and besides is facing a little investigation on the side.

Villa may be some fighter and runner, but as diplomat he is nil, else would he have had affidavits ready that Carranza pulled off the Columbus raid to put him in bad.

If they prove themselves but April showers they will not amount to much.

## CLEAN UP, PAINT UP, FIX UP



## ONWARD AND UPWARD

Analysis of the steel and iron business, for the first quarter of the year, was given out Monday. It proved to be by far the most encouraging since the revival in these industries began to be notable a year ago. Of a truth, all previous records for operations past, present and future were so far exceeded as make this a distinctive date for coming reckonings. Mills are being run even far beyond their estimated capacity and such is the volume of orders on hand that no slackening of the pace is thought of before the end of next year. This, of course, is a most remarkable condition and altogether gratifying, but its most stable feature is that domestic specifications have run so far ahead of foreign as to make the latter in a manner insignificant. Railroad and heavy structural demands are heaviest, though there are big orders in other lines, notable so in ship building. Reports are that foreign governments are ready to make contracts for munitions, locomotives, auto trucks, along with big purchases of wheat, horses, meat and railroad ties, but just how these are to be met in reasonable time is more of a problem than securing the contracts.

## Woopla!

Chairman Jones says our good young governor is a Corwin, a Chase, a Sherman, a Foraker, a Fairbanks, a Burton, all rolled into one and then some added for his own distinctive individuality. What the good young governor thinks Chairman Jones is rolled from we may surmise in the fact that he wouldn't even give him the appointee for liquor commissioner in his own county of Jackson.

The gent who said our Republican friends were organizing a club to get in trim for a row, sure knows things. The Daugherty-Herrick contest already promises to be a first class mugging up.

Measuring the rumors on the street by the report given out by the Steel Company on the purchase of Idlewild property we conclude it supplies a striking illustration of building a mountain out of a mole hill.

Why is this spring different from several others—there hasn't been a word, so far, about that Cincinnati-to-Pittsburgh traction line.

Having bidden the Ohio a hearty good bye we are pained to see her departing so slowly.

General Pershing is from Missouri. Enough said.

We have wondered how Grand Duke Nicholas came to be esteemed such a brilliant military genius. We have the explanation, through the not intended but still kindly offices of the Portsmouth, Virginia Star. In a glowing panegyric of Nick the Stars says he has fought more pitched battles than all the other generals on all sides combined. That must mean, of a verity, it can't mean anything else than half his battles were fought against armies that either did not exist, or else had no commander. A sort of heads-I-win tails-you-lose campaign. No wonder Nick licked 'em.

When one reads of the wild alarms spreading along the Mexican border and the demand for more troops, he wonders what has become of the bad men that are supposed to infest that region.

If the repair of the reservoir is going to cost \$80,000, why not build a new one somewhere else where it will stay "settled."

A medical expert explains the fact, that only 11 men out of 547 in a New York city, would accept employment, on the hypothesis that most of them are mentally abnormal. That suits us exactly and explains how it is as the warm sun begins to peek forth.

Col. Roosevelt seems to think the country has been allowed to run down so sadly in the last seven years that we should think he'd hesitate at his age to take hold of it and try to build it up.—Ohio State Journal.

Whenever he starts in to count up his political friends—these days, Mr. Bryan feels as lonesome as a European nation that hasn't gone to war.—Anaconda Standard.

Maybe that low, rumbling sound you hear is Dicky Hobson cranking up—Macon Telegraph.

If the bedroom were surrounded with hooks Pa would still leave his pajamas where they fall when he steps out of them.—Detroit Free Press.

Russia is putting another five million men in the field. There is one thing about the Russian, he doesn't mind a bit how often he is killed.

We never have gotten the impression from reading the hourly press bulletins issued from the state auditor's office that Mr. Auditor Donahay was mad at himself.

Silver has gone up and so will the silver-tongued orator also be going up—on the stump.

## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O-O-M-E-I-N-T-Y-R-E.

New York, April 5—Jean Havez, the song writer, has been touring the West with his wife, Cecil Cunningham, an actress. While he was in Denver he heard of a comedian who resigned from his company because he had received no salary for fifteen weeks.

When he complained, the manager declared that he paid too great heed to trifles. The comedian retorted that he was done with the theatrical business forever and informed the members of the company, with show of jubilation, that he was going out and get a job in Denver tending bar.

Fortwith he strutted out of the theatre majestically, only to learn that Denver had gone dry January 1.

Omen note—Next to Charles Barnham's office in the Gaiety theatre building, a young woman named Wince has opened a manure parlor.

From the classic heights of Columbia University, Robert E. MacAlarney, city editor of the Tribune, brings a story of how some of the students find the modern trend of the news too rapid to keep up with.

"I'm sorry Frank Moran didn't win," declared one long-haired aesthetic looking student on the campus. "Someone ought to be able to restore the title to the white race."

"White race?" howled his companion, an athletic young man in high trousers, a tooth-brush mustache and squirrel teeth. "Where do you get that stuff? Don't you know yet the present champion is a white man?"

"No," confessed the other apologetically. "I really don't have time to keep track of those wrestlers."

Jimmy Hare, the red-headed Fenian, who has taken photographs all over the world for magazines and newspapers, is back from Europe. He brought back all of his possessions except his photographic plates. "They wouldn't let me bring them," is the only explanation he made. Wars are different now, it seems. The time was when daredevil Jimmy Hare could photograph any war pictures he desired.

Restaurants of the unique type prosper out of the beaten paths in New York, but they become amphibious and want to get in the glare of Broadway—and they fail. Three went into bankruptcy last week.

One little French restaurant, which made a fortune for its owner, changed management recently. The new manager wanted to stir things up, so he tore down the building next door, installed a dancing floor, inserted big ads in the newspaper, and the people came for just two weeks and then it failed.

Diners out in New York like the atmosphere of the smaller places, but if they want to spend money and make a showing, they go to the big cafes in the hotels.

Tin-Pan-Alley is in the dumps. Just a few months ago when the "Mother" song made a fortune, the song writers decided that the music public wanted sentiment, and then along came "Wake Up America" and hit the popular approval with patriotism. The song made a fortune in two weeks and the sentimental songs are being shelved and now almost any music publisher is on the hunt of patriotic airs.

Lyric writers are in demand, but the field for music composers is rather limited, as all the big publishing houses have their own staffs of composers just like a newspaper. These men study the public taste and the publishers say they are better fitted to write the music than those on the outside looking in.

However, almost any song can be put over on Broadway if it is rendered by a popular song bird.

## Changes Jobs.

William P. Stevens, who for past four years, has been employed as a clerk in Bruch & Hurth's Galla street, grocery store, has resigned. On next Monday he will enter the employ of D. F. Stewart, who conducts a grocery on Young street and Vinton avenue.

Every day that the TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

## Political Announcement

For Congress Subject to Democratic Primary  
**A. G. TURNIPSEED**  
Practicing Attorney, West Union, Adams County.

I have never held office. Adams county has had only three congressmen in her history and had no candidate last year.  
**A. G. TURNIPSEED.**

## GOOPS

By GLETT BURGESS



**Samuel Celery**

Ker-chew! Ker-chew! How it displeases His friends when Sammy Celery asserts! He never even tries to hide The sneeze, or turns his head aside. He is a Goop, and his Ker-Chew! Makes me dislike him—wouldn't you?

**Don't Be A Goop!**



**Doc Koko's COLUMN**

## About Grown People

Grown folks are very queer, I think. They're clever and they're wise, But still it's mighty hard for me To understand their whys.

Days when I romp and rip and rush, And let things slip and fall, They say, "No wonder mischief's done— He's never still at all."

Times when I go off by myself And make no noise, they say, "He's surely up to mischief now, He's been so still today."

Grown folks are very fine, I know But very curious, too; To say the same thing every time, Whichever way I do! —Nancy Byrd Turner in Harper's Magazine.

## An Editor's Opulence

We are glad to state that since our coming to Dundurn, we have been able to be an exception to the rule in the tradition of printers and have had a bank account with a little credit balance most of the time. New Year's that balance to our credit in the Northern Bank was 35 cents. We do not wish to boast, but merely show our friends and patrons that we are, financially speaking, a sound institution, and assure them that when they deposit a dollar with us, they may rest contented that it is in safe hands. We pay interest 62 times a year; let us have your deposit.—Dundurn (Saskatchewan) Enterprise.

## Wonder If They're Self-Starters.

The Right Cylinder girls met at the home of Marguerite Watterson. A short program was given. A very interesting composition was read by Ruth Elms. A short comedy was given by Marguerite Watterson and Louise Rimer. After the program a very dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Allene Smith—Kilda (O.) Record.

## Back To The Limburger

The carnival of the Boston opera season now being practically a thing of the past, the music-loving public will once again settle down to its customary but satisfactory diet of the daily round of musical events, with an occasional banquet dish to lend variety and zest.—Los Angeles (Cal.) Times.

## A Real Community Need

When the Board of County Commissioners met for the afternoon session they were confronted by a delegation from the East Side who laid before the board the great need of a bridge on Cliff avenue.—Sioux Falls (S. D.) Journal.

## Some Famous Caps

Thinking.  
Liberty.  
Fool's.  
Night.  
White.  
Skull.  
—Columbia State.

## Revival of Industry

Mat Moschberger has taken up his old occupation of loafing at Bethel.—Waverly (Ohio) Watchman.

## Congressional Currenals

Bills in congress, many bills; Everything to cure our ills. 'Tis a pleasant way, indeed, To supply our every need. —Pittsburgh Post.

## There Hain't No Limit To Sweet Grass Progress

The street lamp erected on the corner of Main street and Railway avenue is providing a great convenience at this time on account of the mud. "Aggressiveness" seems to be the watchword of the business men.—Sweet Grass (Mont.) Advocate.

## Wouldn't This Tickle You?

Miss Nell Tickle returned Monday night from Fairfax, Mo. Jesse Tickle and wife were here on Thursday from Execlstor Springs, the guests of relatives.—By County (Mo.) Review.

## We'll Bet The Neighbors Are Happy

For Sale—Baritone horn. Address 51 Chittenden avenue—Ad in Ohio State Lantern, O. S. U., official journal.

## We're Sorry About This

Having a bum eye, a sore knee and a bad cold, if we had been asked during the past week what the Lord had done for us our answer would have been the same as that of the hair-lipped, club-footed, cross-eyed boy, when called upon at the evangelistic meeting, "He's almost ruined me."—Hillsboro (O.) News-Herald.

## POLLY AND HER PALS.

## Pete Greets His Pa

## By CLIFF STERRETT





# WOMAN AND GIRL'S LEGS ARE CUT OFF BY TRAIN

## Awful Accident At The Broadway Crossing Of B. & O.

An aged woman and her little granddaughter were run down by a B. & O. S. W. switching train near the Broadway crossing at about 10:15 this morning, and the legs of both victims were crushed off by the wheels of a car.

One of the victims of the distressing accident was little Mary Gregg, daughter of James Gregg, of Plum street. She is about four

years old. The other victim is the grand mother of the Gregg child on her mother's side. She is about seventy years of age. Her name is Jane Eitel. Both victims were taken to the hospital in Lynn's ambulance. It is claimed that the victims were sitting on a B. & O. side-track behind a cut of cars. A switch engine working in the yards and the crew unable to see the two shunted a couple of cars on the switch, bumping into the cars near which sat the woman and child. Without warning they were struck by one of the cars and sustained the injuries.

### SAYS U. S. SHOULD MAKE ITS NITROGEN



Senator A. J. Grosz.

A. J. Grosz, United States senator from North Dakota, says the government should immediately establish a plant for the extraction of nitrogen from the air. Nitrogen is absolutely necessary for the manufacture of powder, and the only nitrate beds in the world are in Chile.

## WATER WORKS BONDS HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED; RESTORATION OF RESERVOIR NOW IN SIGHT

### The Movies

Motion Pictures of the Fearful New York Central Wreck At Amherst, O., and Other Railroad Pictures At Columbia Today

Manager Tynes announces that he has secured motion pictures of the fearful wreck of last week on the New York Central railroad at Amherst, Ohio, in which three of their finest passenger trains, including the famous Twentieth Century Limited, were all piled up in fearful collision, resulting in the loss of more than thirty lives and the injury of scores of other persons. This picture will be shown at the Columbia today in connection with chapter 13 of "The Girl and the Game," that thrilling railroad story featuring the fearless Helen Holmes.

Then listen: In addition to these two pictures you will also see another additional reel showing the electrification of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway. You will see how easily these mammoth electric motors haul the big, heavy trains (both freight and passenger) over the steep grades of the Continental Divide and the Cascade mountains. Also many beautiful and interesting views of wild mountain scenery along the line of one of America's greatest transcontinental railway systems.

Don't overlook this big, interesting 10 cent picture attraction at the popular Columbia today and come this afternoon, if possible, to avoid the big rush in the evening.

Clara Kimball Young in "The Yellow Passport" At Lyric Today

One girl pitted against the grim power of the entire Russian Secret Police and the sinister "Black Hundreds," provides the main thread of the story of "The Yellow Passport," the powerful new feature in which Clara Kimball Young, the World Film star, will be seen at the Lyric tonight.

The story is one of pre-eminent power, picturing with startling fidelity and realism the grim symbolism of the saffron emblem of shame. Thrills, pathos, romance, intrigue, mystery, revenge, black hatred, tender love, interwoven in a wonderful story produced by the master-hand of Edwin August.

Mary Boland in "The Price of Happiness" At The Lyric Tomorrow

Mary Boland, for a number of years one of the leading Frohman stars of the legitimate stage, will be seen on the screen of the Lyric tomorrow, in the new Equitable feature, "The Price of Happiness."

The story of this big picture deals in a novel and startling dramatic manner with a theme that is perhaps best expressed in the commandment, "Thou Shalt Not Covet Thy Neighbor's Goods." The heroine of the story discovers in a series of intense situations that the supposedly more fortunate lot of her former girl friends, whom she has envied, is an illusion, and that her own simpler life is the happier one.

Miss Boland has a role that enables her to give to the screen the full expression of her unique dramatic gifts and personal charm. She is supported by a brilliant cast, including Marion Singer, Enid Francis, Charlotte De Felice, Albert Boehl, Dave Wall and Adolphe Menjou. Gorgeous gowns and brilliant scenes amid the night life of "The Great White Way" are an especial feature of this intensely interesting production.

"Graft" at the Arcana The "Milk Battle" is the title of the twelfth chapter of the famous "Graft" serial. Richard Stanton, in the part of Robert Harding, carries on the fight against the trusts. He exposes the milk combine, the president, Burrows, being accidentally stabbed at the close.

"Uncle Sam at Work, No. 8," shows the government seal preserves in Alaska and the way whales are harpooned and cut up. Also shows instructive views taken in the post office and public health departments. "A Quiet Supper for Fear" is a Nestor comedy of nothing but fun.

## Nervy Thief Grabs Woman's Purse Near 2nd Presbyterian Church; Escapes In Darkness

### OBITUARY

**Funeral Thursday**  
The funeral services of the late Adam Seel will be conducted from the family residence, on Second street, near Chillicothe, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. The last rites will be in charge of Rev. Samuel Lindenmeyer, pastor of the German Evangelical church, and Rev. George P. Horst, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church. Friends are invited to the home, but the burial in Greenlawn will be private.

### HORSES ARE INOCULATED

"Pink eye" has developed among the live stock of the Interstate Transfer company. Fifty of the company's horses were inoculated by Drs. Jos. Gill and E. P. Pieper, veterinary surgeons, Tuesday.

**Indoor Baseball Game**  
Henry Frowine, who is running an indoor baseball machine in Iron-oln, will take a team of crack players from that city to Ashland Wednesday night and a match, indoor game will be staged in the Kentucky city.

To be robbed within a few minutes after they had alighted from a train was the exciting experience of Mrs. John Loneragan, of New York, and Mrs. Charles Stocklin, of Philadelphia, former Portsmouth women, who arrived here for a visit to their aunt, Mrs. Amanda Molster, of No. 1412 Second street, about 7:30 Tuesday evening.

When the two sisters, who were formerly Misses Muriel and Mabel Barklow, reached the corner of Ninth and Waller streets, they first thought of taking a taxi, but concluded that after riding in a warm chair car from Columbus, where they had visited a sister, Mrs. Charles Woods, a walk in the fresh air would do them good. They accordingly started south on Waller. Just as they got in front of the Second Presbyterian church, a tall, slender fellow, wearing a dark suit and cap, who evidently had followed them, suddenly seized Mrs. Loneragan's wrist with one hand, and with the other tore a black leather hand bag from her arm. It was done so quickly that Mrs. Loneragan hardly realized for a moment what had happened. She was on the verge of telling the man he was welcome to the contents if he would allow her to retain the valuable handbag, which she had just purchased, but he broke into a run down Eighth street. The two now screaming women gave chase.

Soon residents of the neighborhood began rushing from their homes, and the sisters recognized a friend and acquaintance in Mrs. Harry Molster. The purse-grabber by this time had reached the corner of John street and disappeared in the direction of Ninth street. Chief Henry Clark and Capt. Roma Walker soon arrived on the scene in an automobile in response to a hurry call, and after obtaining a description, began the man-hunt. The women were unable to tell, however, whether he was white or black. No trace of the robber could be found.

The handbag contained between \$4 and \$5 in change, an open-faced gold watch, a pearl-handled nail-file, which the owner highly valued, some postage stamps and other articles.

Much enthusiasm prevails in city administration circles because the State Industrial Commission has accepted Portsmouth's \$40,000 reservoir restoration bonds at 4 1/2 per cent, meaning as it does that work of restoring the reservoir to service can begin immediately.

Word of the acceptance of the issue was received by City Solicitor Anselm S. Skelton late Tuesday afternoon in a telegram from Wallace D. Yapple, chairman of the commission, and the announcement was gleefully received on every hand.

Mr. Skelton himself felt particularly elated for his repeated trips to Columbus had been rewarded, the acceptance by the commission being just what he had so earnestly sought.

The state commission's action removes the necessity of advertising the bonds for a period of 30 days and then wait 10 additional days to realize the money on the sale. The bonds if allowed to run their regular course would have been up for sale early in May, so that the city will really gain 40 days time.

Solicitor Skelton will formally report the acceptance of the bonds to city council at its meeting tonight. The next move will be for council to approve the plans and specifications of Civil Engineer Samuel G. Harper, and appropriate the money. A special meeting may be called for this purpose and as the work of restoring the reservoir is an emergency, a contract can be awarded immediately without advertising. The officials hope to have the work actively under way early next week.

## VERDUN WILL NEVER BE TAKEN, SAYS GENERAL

Paris, April 6.—"Verdun will never be taken. That is the sincere and positive opinion of General Cadorna," said a member of the Italian generalissimo's suite. "Cadorna," he continued, "returns to Italy from his visit to France full of enthusiasm for France for what she has done, for what she is now doing."

city of guns and munitions, that nothing that the Germans could now do, it seemed to us, could possibly catch the Franco-British higher command unprepared."

### Jasper Woodmen Will Initiate

Roy McElhaney, district manager of the Woodmen of the World, will leave Wednesday evening for Jasper, where he will attend a large class initiation of the Woodmen Camp at that town. On Saturday and Sunday, Mr. McElhaney will attend a big gathering and a regimental meeting of the order which will be held in Dayton. Several local Woodmen will probably make the trip to Dayton.

**In Cincinnati**

Mrs. Lila Johnson, of the local Rescue Home, left Tuesday for Cincinnati on a short business trip.

**Are In Jackson**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Buesman, of No. 814 Fourth street, went to Jackson, O., Tuesday, to look after their property interests there.

## TO IMPROVE STORE

John Rottinghaus in addition to the improvements already made to the Rottinghaus business properties on Market street is planning still further changes for the next few months. The grocery part of the business will be moved to the north or present ware room. A modern elevator will also be installed and the various rooms connected with archways.

**In New Home**

Chester Riggins, popular manager of the World Clothing company, moved Tuesday from 630 Fifth street to 620 Fourth street.

**In Queen City**

L. C. Turley left Tuesday on a business trip to Cincinnati. He will return this evening.

## JURY QUICKLY FOUND INHUMAN FATHER GUILTY

After remaining out for five minutes, the jury which heard the trial of James Berry, who was indicted recently for rape and incest on six counts, returned a verdict yesterday afternoon, finding him guilty. Judge Thomas, common pleas court, sentenced Berry to an indeterminate term in the Ohio penitentiary.

Berry was tried on the indictment charging him with incest with his daughter Bessie Berry, on February 2. On the witness stand, Berry denounced the allegations made by his wife and daughter and claimed that they preferred the charges to "get even." He also claimed that his daughter had made indecent proposals to him and when he attempted to correct her, his wife would threaten to call the police.

Sheriff E. W. Smith said Wednesday that he would take Berry to Columbus after the trial of Philip S. Cope, who is charged with embezzlement, which will be held Thursday.

## YOUTH ACCUSED OF USING KNIFE ON NEWMAN CAUGHT

Harrison, better known as "Nip" Clifford, the North End youth, who the police say is the person who stabbed Ernest Newman, aged 17, just over the heart Saturday night, was captured in Cincinnati, Tuesday evening.

Clifford was caught by Cincinnati police just as he alighted from a freight train. Police Chief Henry Clark expected to go to Cincinnati some time Wednesday to bring him back to Portsmouth.

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## CORONER LEAVES TO HOLD INQUEST OVER NEGRO'S BODY

Coroner J. W. Daehler left Wednesday morning for the Hunt-Forbes construction camp, Wheeler's Mills, near Sciotoville, where he will hold an inquest over the remains of the negro which was found floating in the storage dam pool Tuesday morning. This body is believed to be that of Thomas Rinnis, a negro who disappeared from the Hunt-Forbes camp following a running fight between a negro who was believed to be a Washington and an armed posse. The body was towed to the bank of the Little Scioto river Tuesday afternoon by some workmen and anchored. It remained in its gruesome moorage until the coroner arrived Wednesday morning.

Following the inquest over the body of William Sharp, 23, whose body was found ground to pieces along the tracks of the D. T. & I. railway near Superior early Tuesday morning by Ed Ruth, Coroner Daehler announced that death was instantaneous and was accidental. The remains were taken to the Superior undertaking establishment Tuesday evening and prepared for burial. The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Interment will be made at the Mt. Hope cemetery.

Coroner Daehler said Tuesday evening on his return from Superior that Sharp had gone to Ironton, Monday, and returned on the evening train. He did not get

off at Superior because his wife was visiting her brother, Milton Hughes at Crawford's Station. He went to Crawford's Station and after spending a few minutes with the family decided to return to Superior. The earnest pleadings of the family did not have any effect on the young man and he started down the track. This was the last seen of him alive.

The coroner held that Sharp had probably stopped along the track and fell asleep. A freight train which passed about eight o'clock struck him.

## Capacity Of Mill Will Be Increased

With the completion of the new soaking pits being installed in the blooming mill of the plant of the Whitaker-Glessner company, the capacity of this department will be increased 25 percent, it was stated at the plant Wednesday. More ingots will be handled and this will result in more billets for other departments of the plant. The soaking pits will be completed within another week.

### 3 Applications Are Received

Three applications were received at the weekly meeting of the Painters' Decorators' and Paperhangers' Union Local No. 555, Tuesday evening. The applications will be balloted upon at the next meeting.

## Maccabees Held Fine Big Meeting

One of the best attended meetings on record was held by the Women's Benefit Association of the Maccabees Tuesday evening, the "Roll Call and Home Coming" meeting bringing out a number of members who had not attended meetings for some time. As the roll was called each member responded with a verse appropriate to the order. A short business session was held. Letters were read from a number of out of town members unable to be present. Out of town officers expected to be present failed to arrive and short falls for the good of the order were made by different members. One application was also received and will be balloted upon at the next meeting. The last half of the evening was given over to the supper and social affair. Refreshments of coffee, sandwiches and doughnuts were served. The social committee consisted of Mrs. Sarah Warrick, Mrs. Mary Hoberstetter, Mrs. Ed Martin and Miss Mabel H.

### THE WOODLAND TIMBRELS NOW ARE HITTING UP THEIR TUNE; THE YOUNG MAN'S FANCY SHOULD BE LIGHTLY TURNING SOON



NOW are the days that stir the soul, the days that kindle and inspire the fairest of youth's hopes and dreams and fan the spark of love's desire; the spirit of the spring assails the heart, we tango for the hill far where fair winds dress the brow and whisker the bittern haunts the will. Though many are your ills and aches, though you are best "neath trees and vines, you have to hand it to the spring, it puts the hand to the blues. It wallows woe, it surely does, be glum and doleful as you may, you're very stupid to ignore the rapture of a pleasant day. Though you are old and bald and fat, though you are jaded as can be, can you observe unmoved you twain that stroll and loiter o'er the leaf? Regard their pretty little arts; see how he beats his breast and sighs, avowing his tremendous love and waiting for her reply. Who says it is a silly stunt to love a maid, and everything to ape the dove and bill and coo, he misses half the joy of spring. If you are young, expose your heart, select a fair one to espouse; she will be pleased to watch the moon while you murmur fervid vows. Ex- tell her most enthralling charms, tell her that though of beauty mere was Juno, Hobe, Venus, yet is she ten thousand times more fair. That is the way to feel the bliss of this, the year's most lovely season, what though your friends protest and scold and say you'll undermine your reason? Assure them you must skip alone to hear the merle and thrush sing, to listen to the pipes of Pan and get the spirit of the spring.